KRRR

KRRRRRR

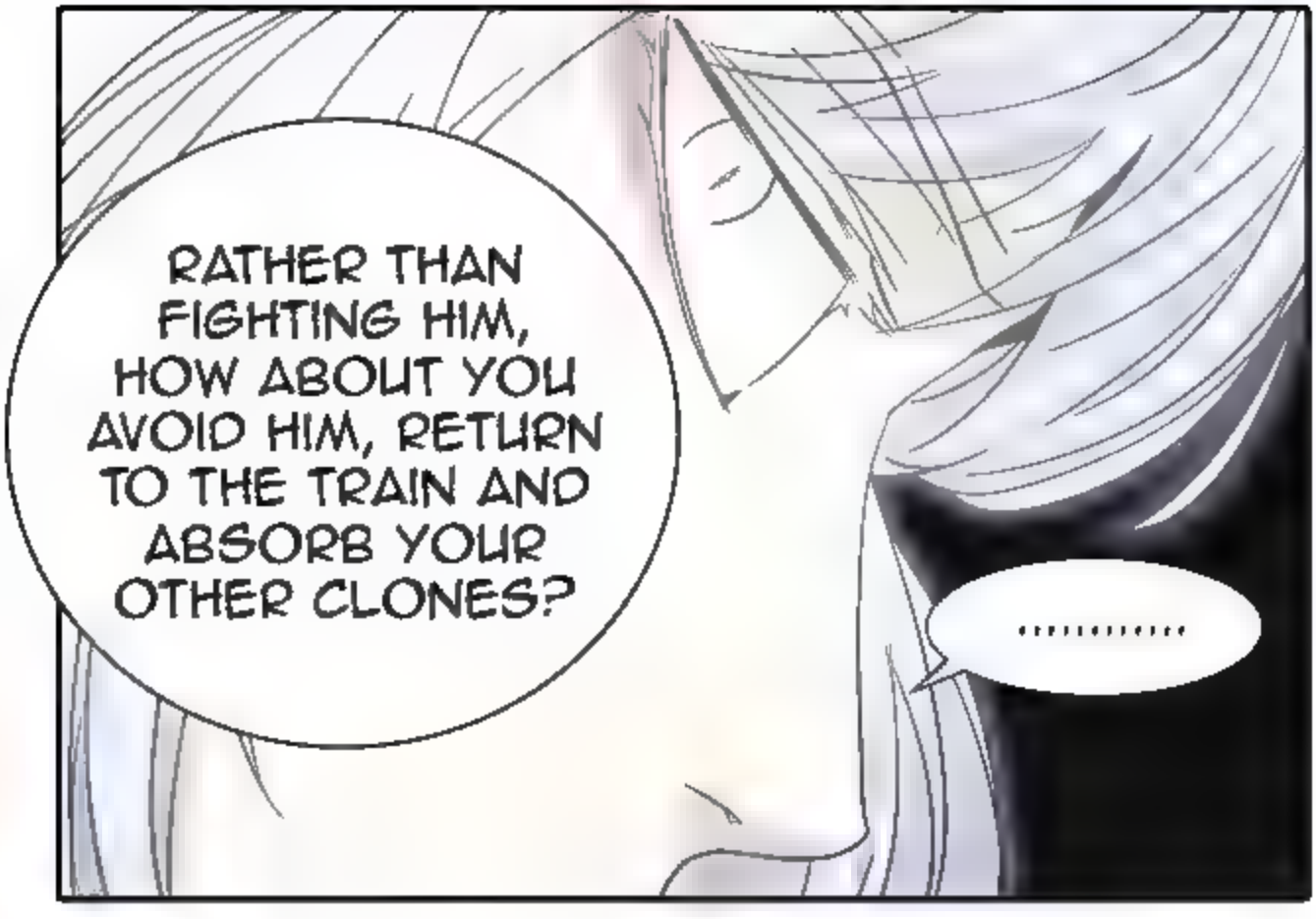
WHEW-

IT'S BEEN A LONG TIME.
CLENCH!
SINCE I LAST FELT.. MY WHOLE BODY OVERFLOWING WITH POWER LIKE THIS..

WHITE.
I KNOW THAT YOU'VE JUST GOTTEN YOUR POWER BACK BUT I HAVE SOME BAD NEWS-
SSK-
?

YOU HAVE TO RUN AWAY.
...?

...RUN AWAY?
YES. THERE'S A HIGH CHANCE THAT UREK MAZINO IS STILL HERE.
YOU MAY HAVE GOTTEN CLOSE TO YOUR ORIGINAL POWER, BUT HE'S ONE OF THE MOST POWERFUL PEOPLE IN THE TOWER.


RATHER THAN FIGHTING HIM, HOW ABOUT YOU AVOID HIM, RETURN TO THE TRAIN AND ABSORB YOUR OTHER CLONES?
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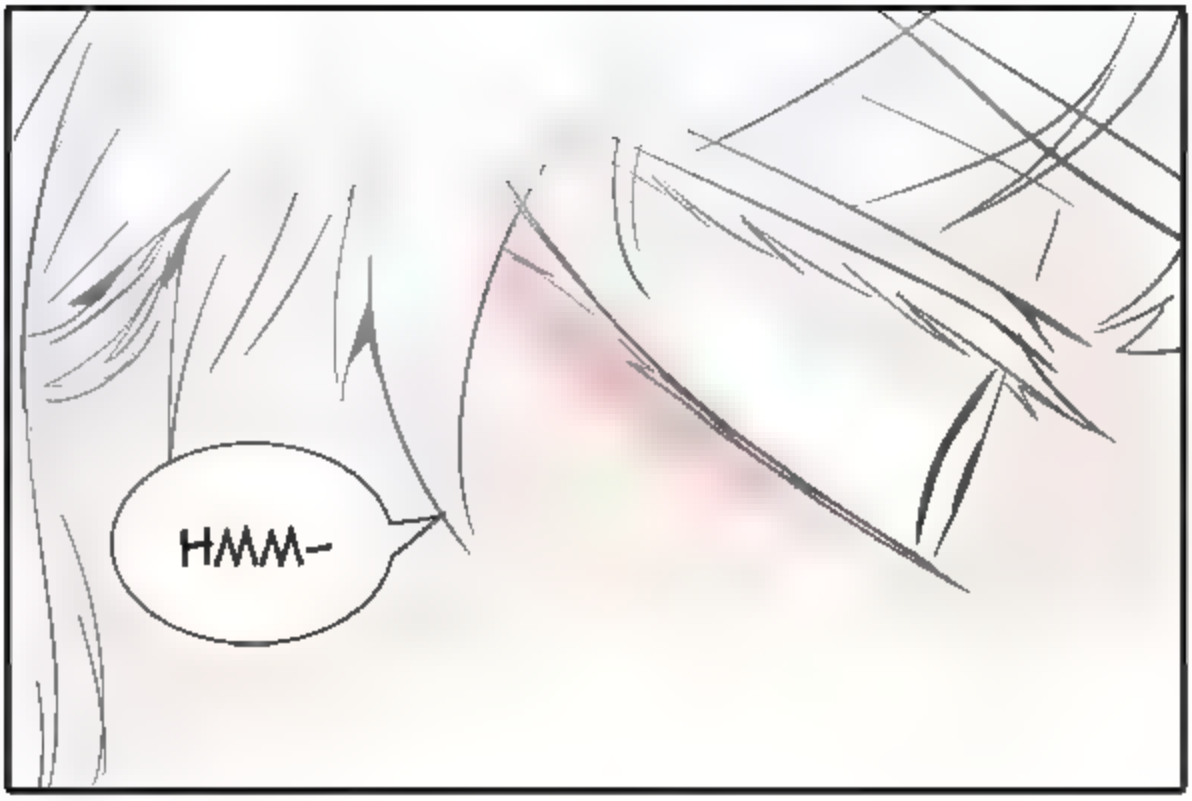
WHITE, PLEASE...
MAKE THE WISE CHOICE.


HMM-

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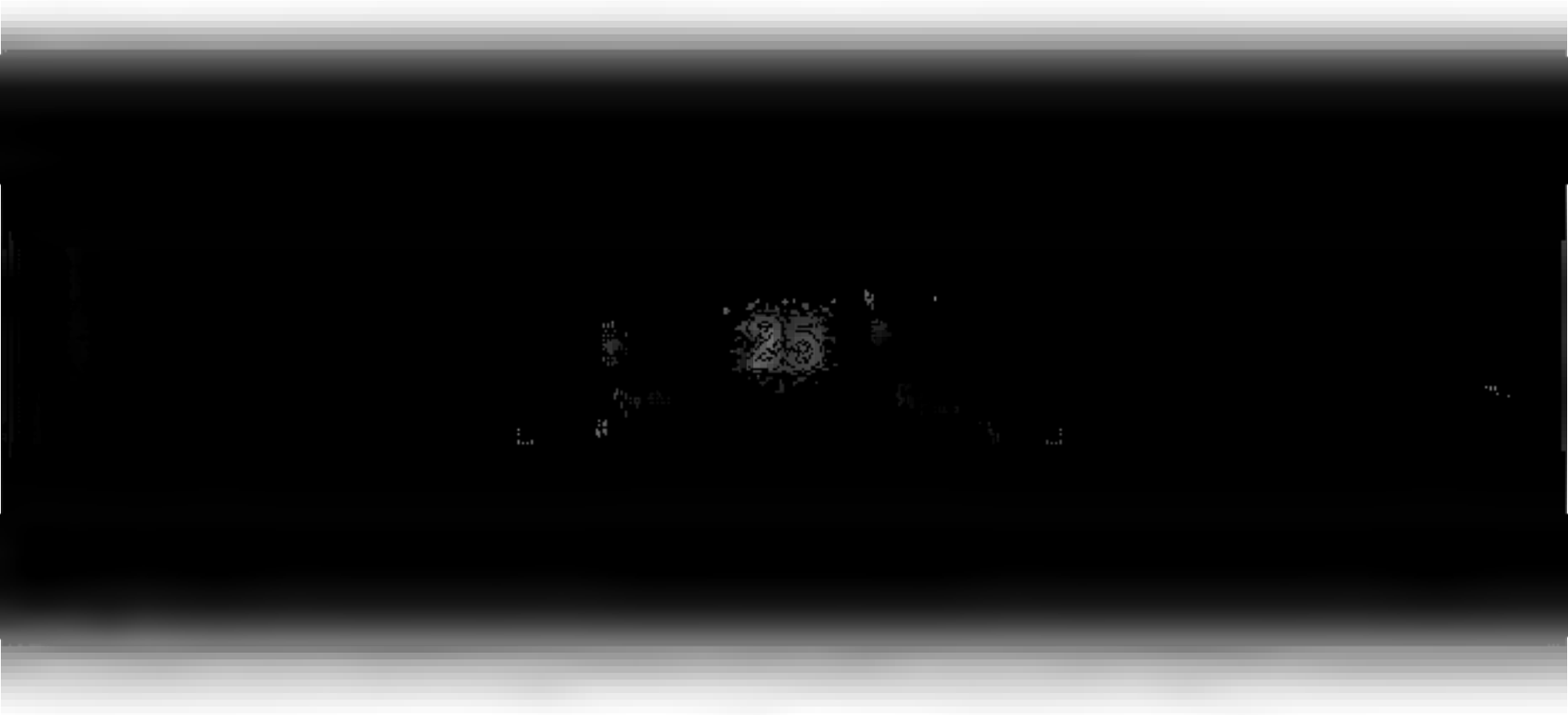

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KRRRRRR
JOE...!!

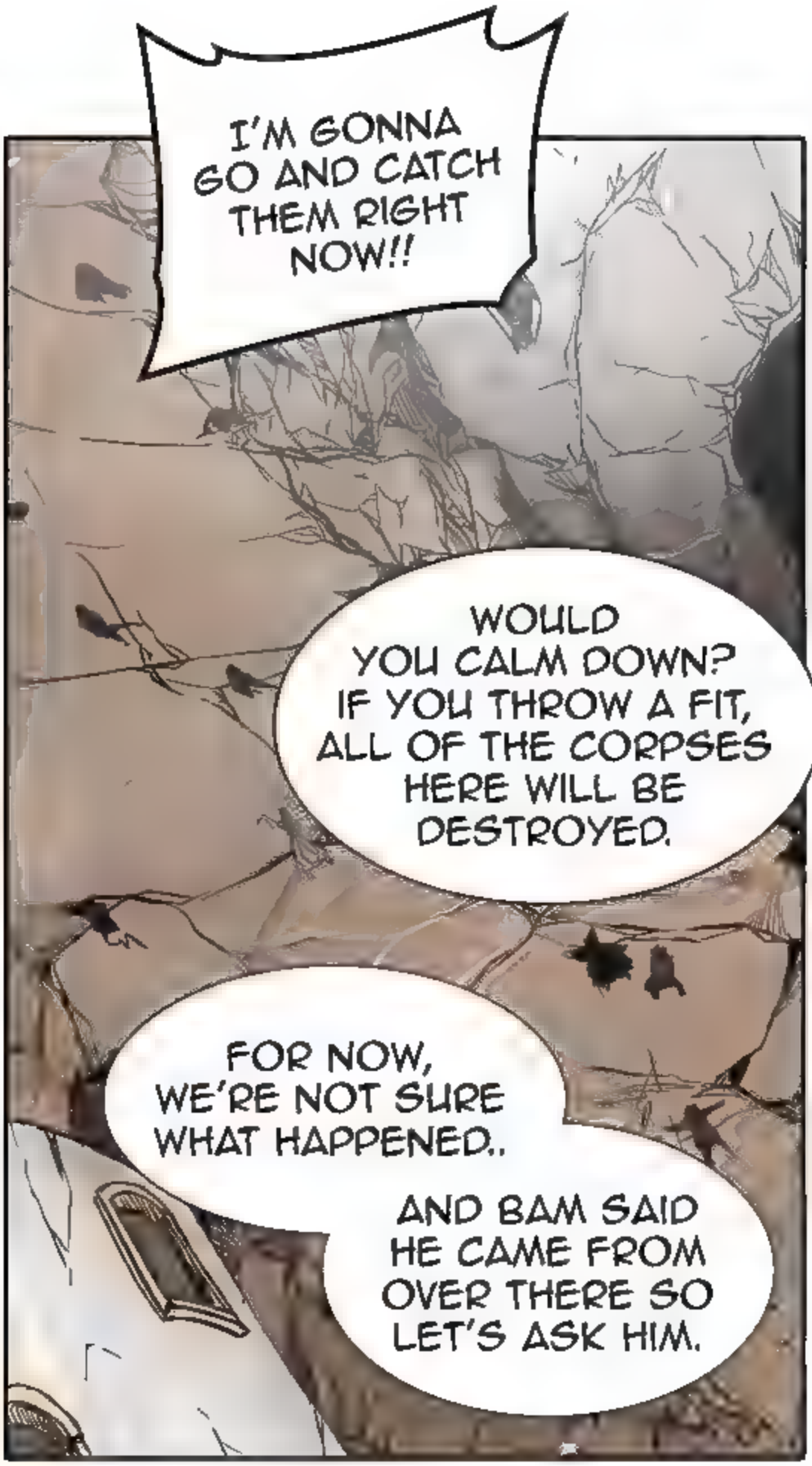
...WHAT HAPPENED?
THINGS WERE ALL FLASHY..
AND THEN IT FELT LIKE SOMETHING LEFT HIM.

DOES THIS MEAN.. THAT A PROBLEM OCCURRED IN THE SPIRIT ROOM?

..THE SPIRIT ROOM?

WAIT.. COULD IT BE..
THOSE BASTARDS FROM F.U.G..!!
CLENCH—

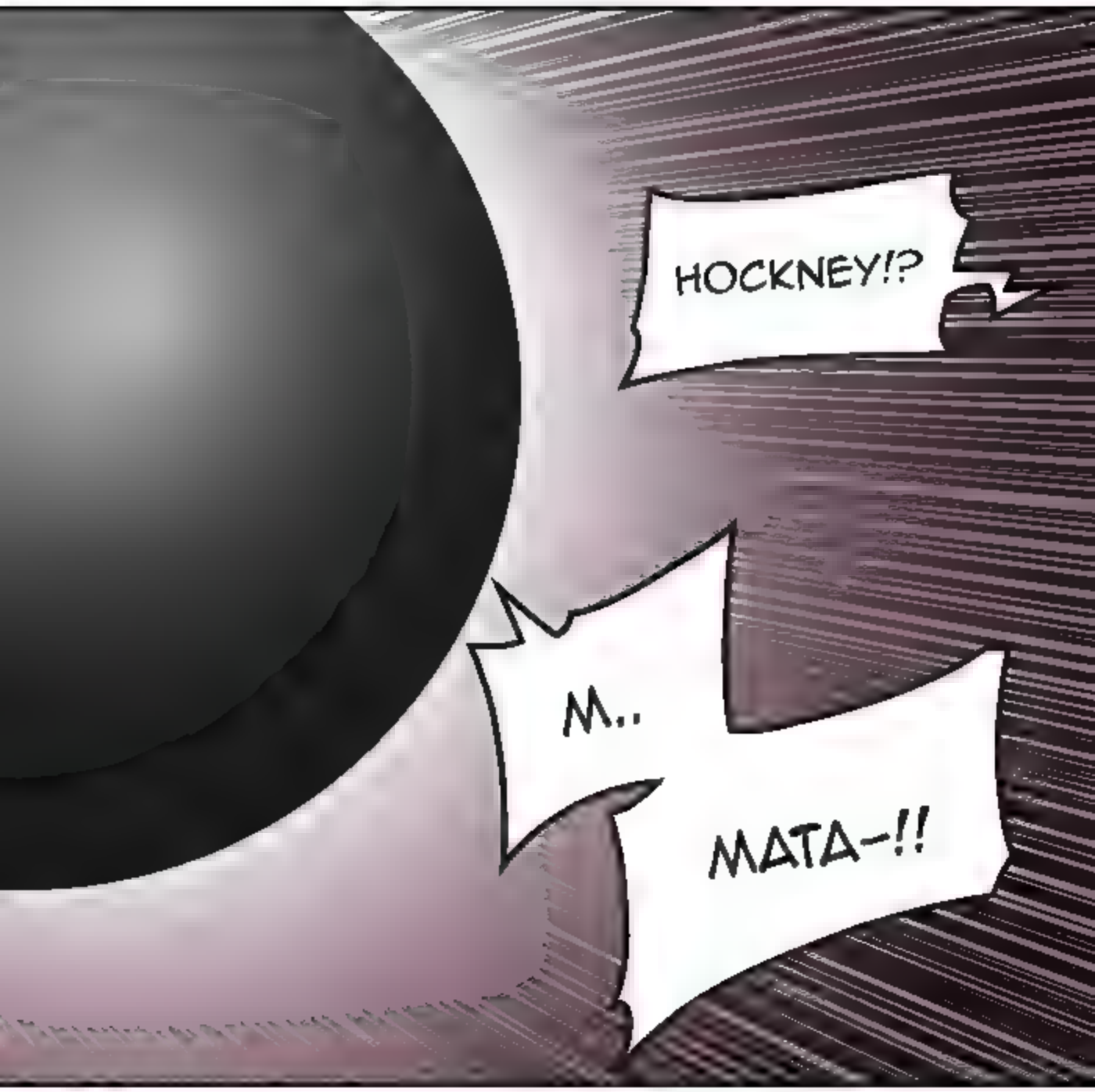
I'LL MAKE THEM SORRY!!
KSSSHHH
WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO!?


I'M GONNA GO AND CATCH THEM RIGHT NOW!!
WOULD YOU CALM DOWN? IF YOU THROW A FIT, ALL OF THE CORPSES HERE WILL BE DESTROYED.
FOR NOW, WE'RE NOT SURE WHAT HAPPENED..
AND BAM SAID HE CAME FROM OVER THERE SO LET'S ASK HIM.

W..WHAT'S GOING ON..?
I'M NOT SURE. THERE WAS THIS TREMENDOUS LIGHT EVERYWHERE..
SHHH

..!!
THOSE PEOPLE DOWN THERE AREN'T MOVING.
ARE THEY D..DEAD?!

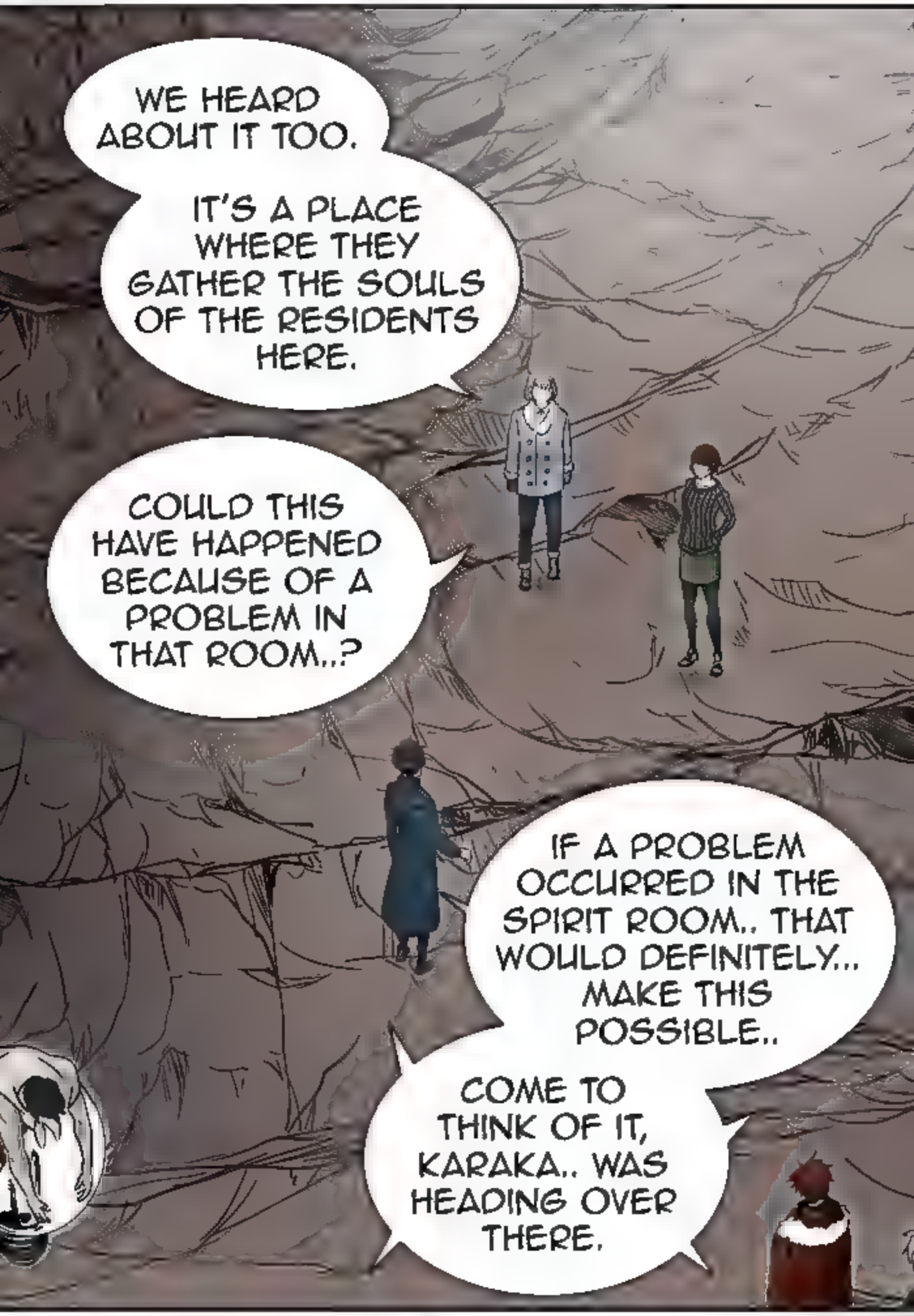
WHISH-
BAM!!
!?


HOCKNEY!?
M..
MATA-!!

MATA!!
KIAIAIAIA

WHAT'S.. GOING ON?
I'M NOT SURE.. I WENT BACK AND..
THEY HAD ALL STOPPED MOVING..
EVEN MY EYES HAVE STOPPED SEEING THE FUTURE.

BAM, COULD THIS MEAN.. A PROBLEM.. HAS COME UP IN THAT SPIRIT ROOM?
THE SPIRIT ROOM..!!


WE HEARD ABOUT IT TOO.
IT'S A PLACE WHERE THEY GATHER THE SOULS OF THE RESIDENTS HERE.
COULD THIS HAVE HAPPENED BECAUSE OF A PROBLEM IN THAT ROOM..?
IF A PROBLEM OCCURRED IN THE SPIRIT ROOM.. THAT WOULD DEFINITELY... MAKE THIS POSSIBLE..
COME TO THINK OF IT, KARAKA.. WAS HEADING OVER THERE.

BAM-!!
WHISH!!
!! YURI..!

YOU SAID THAT YOU CAME FROM THE SPIRIT ROOM, RIGHT?
COULD YOU SHOW ME HOW TO GET THERE?!
..! W..WE WERE JUST HEADING OVER THERE TOO!
REALLY? THEN LET'S MEET AT THE CASTLE ENTRANCE. HURRY!!

STEP-
STEP-
..DO YOU REALLY PLAN TO RETURN TO THE SPIRIT ROOM, VIOLE?
HWARYUN...

IF WHAT YOU SAY IS TRUE, THEN THERE'S A HIGH CHANCE THAT KARAKA IS THERE.
WOULDN'T IT BE BEST FOR YOU TO LET THE RANKERS FIGHT AMONG THEMSELVES AND STAY HERE?
B..BUT..!!

I MADE A PROMISE TO DE JAH..
PLUS I CAN'T JUST STAND BY AND WATCH EVERYONE HERE ON THE FLOOR OF DEATH DISAPPEAR!!
IF I CAN GO AND BE EVEN THE SLIGHTEST BIT HELPFUL..!!

THAT SOUNDS GOOD TO ME TOO.. BESIDES, WE HAVE TWO HIGH-RANKERS WITH US..
RIGHT?
WELL.. SINCE UREK MAZINO IS ON OUR SIDE..
T..THAT'S RIGHT!

PLUS WE STILL HAVEN'T HEARD FROM DE JAH ABOUT WHERE THE THORN FRAGMENT IS!
I HAVE TO GO AT LEAST FOR THAT!!
.....

..ALRIGHT..
IN RETURN, I WANT YOU TO GO WITH ME. DON'T PUT YOURSELF IN DANGER.
YOU REALLY ARE ENTHUSIASTIC, MR. VIOLET
OKAY..!

LET'S GO!!
WOONG
BORO, YOU GUYS STAY BEHIND AND KEEP AN EYE ON RACHEL!!
SURE, DON'T WORRY AND BE SAFE.

DE JAH'S
CASTLE

DE JAH!!
TIP TIP TIP
.....

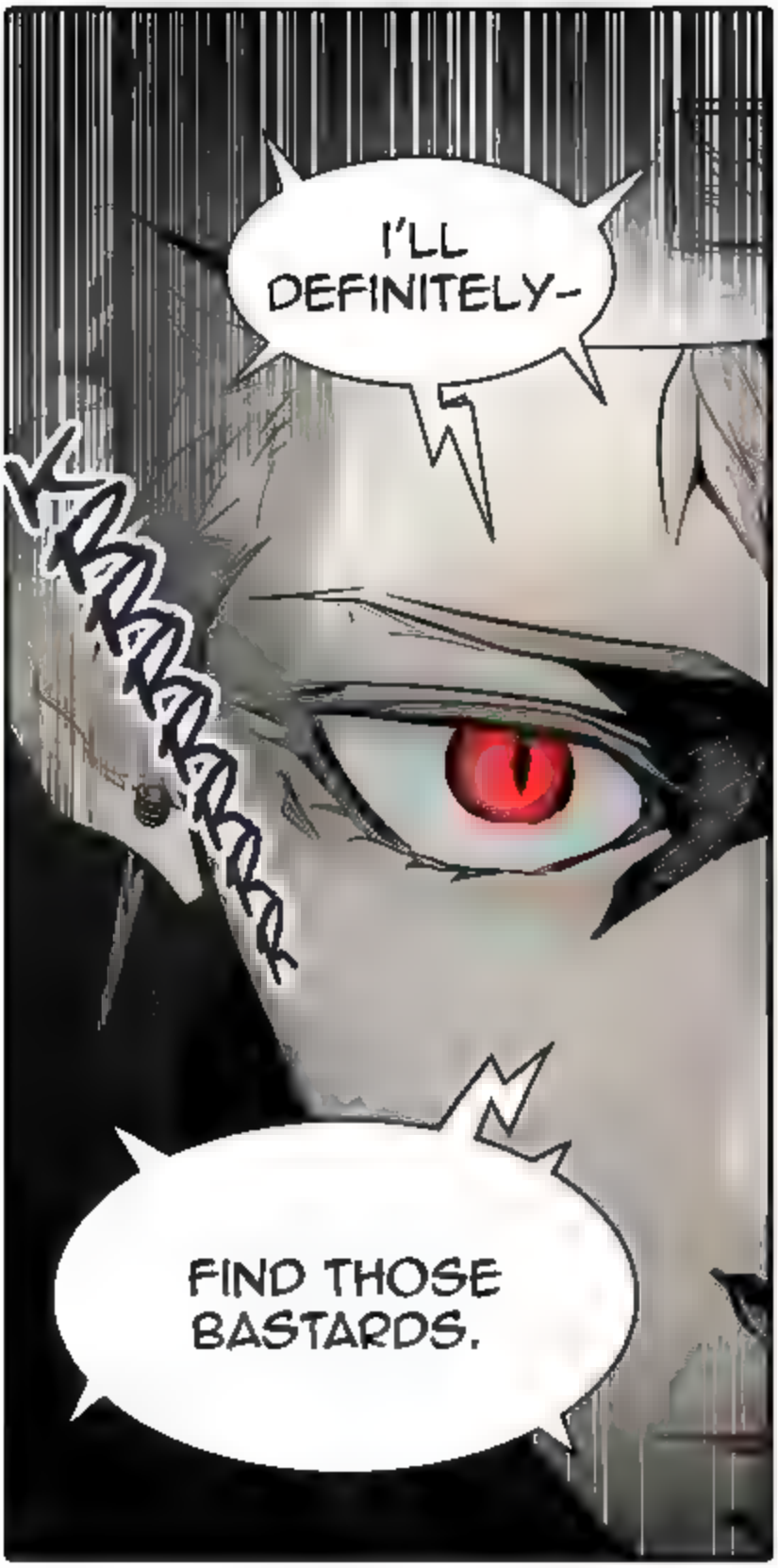
JUDGING FROM HOW QUIET IT IS HERE..
CLENCH~
HMPH-!!
IT LOOKS LIKE THEY ALREADY RAN AWAY..

..I KNOW WHERE THEY RAN OFF TO.
STEP-
STEP-
..A GUIDE FROM F.U.G.?

HERE ON THE FLOOR OF DEATH, THERE'S A PATH THAT ONLY F.U.G. KNOWS ABOUT.
IF YOU LIKE, I CAN TAKE YOU THERE.
REALLY!?
SINCE YOU GUYS AVENGED MY COMPANION.. THINK OF IT AS A GESTURE OF GRATITUDE.

BUT THEY'VE PROBABLY ALREADY GOTTEN FAR AWAY..
IT WOULD BE HARD FOR YOU GUYS TO SPEED UP AS USUAL WHILE I GUIDE YOU
SO I CAN'T GUARANTEE THAT YOU'LL CATCH UP WITH THEM EVEN IF YOU FOLLOW THEM NOW.

..DON'T WORRY ABOUT THAT. JUST SHOW US THE WAY.
UREK.


I'LL DEFINITELY-
KKKKKKKK
FIND THOSE BASTARDS.

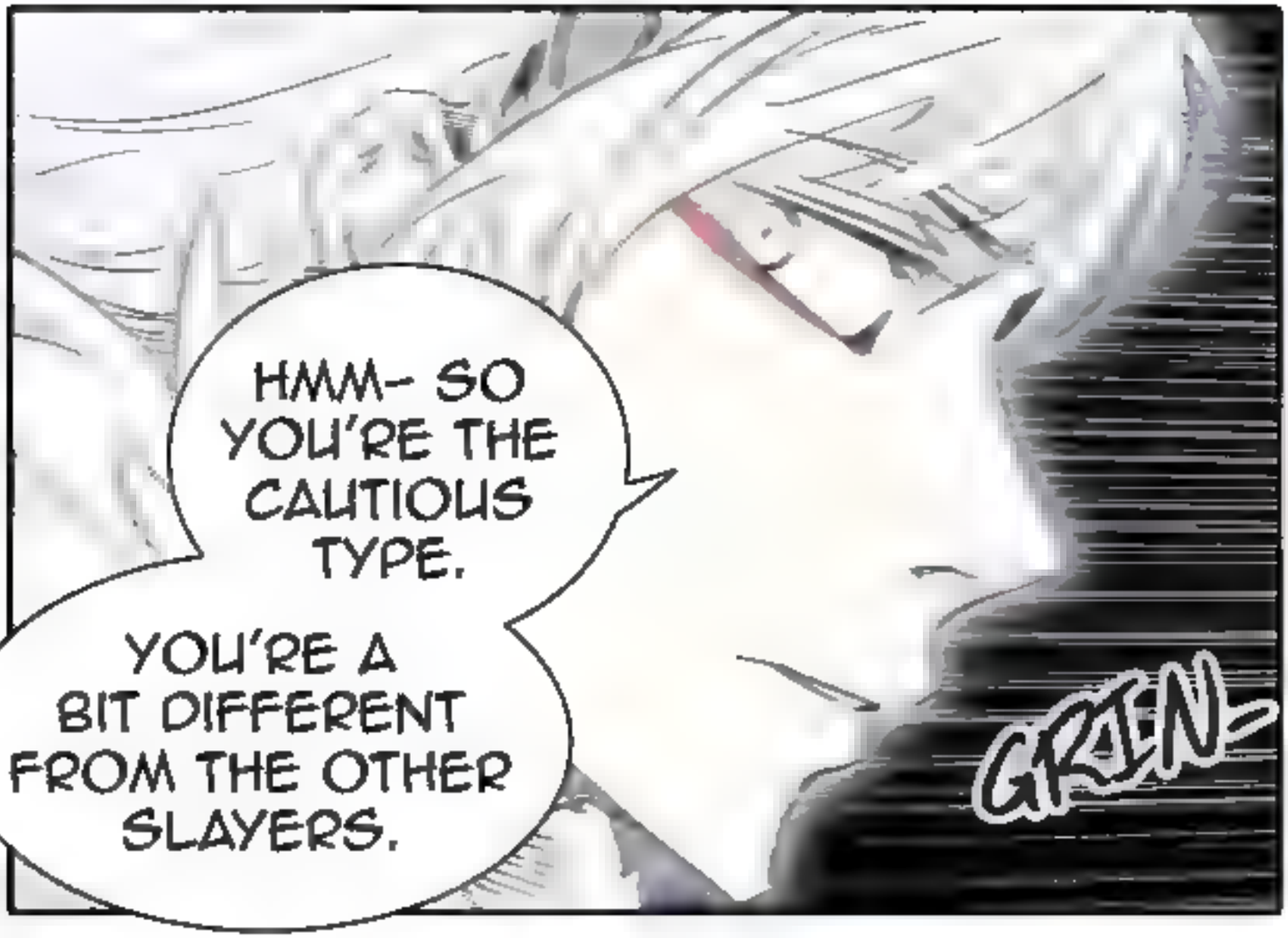
KSSSSHH
TOO BAD, I WANTED TO TRY FIGHTING UREK MAZINO.

SAVE THE FIGHT FOR LATER, WHITE.
YOU'LL BE EVEN STRONGER ONCE YOU RETURN TO THE TRAIN AND RECLAIM YOUR ORIGINAL BODY.
IT STILL WON'T BE TOO LATE TO FIGHT WOLHAIKSONG THEN.
WELL, THAT'S TRUE.

..I FEEL LIKE HE HAS BETTER EMOTIONAL CONTROL THAN BEFORE.
DOES THAT IMPROVE AS HE ABSORBS MORE SOULS?
SHHHHH
BEFORE, HE WOULD HAVE DEFINITELY INSISTED ON FIGHTING UREK..

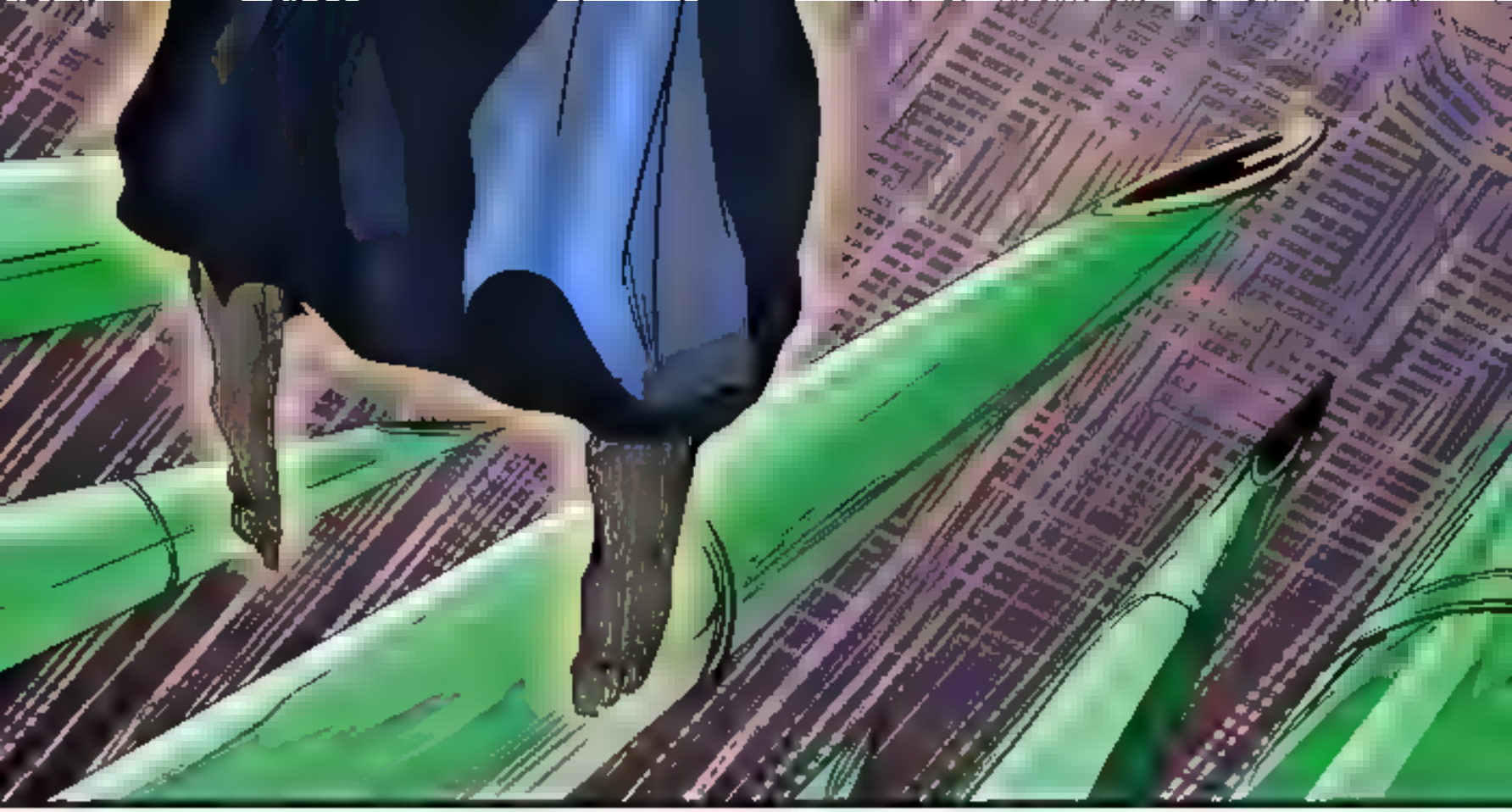
BUT WHY DID YOU CHOOSE THIS PATH INSTEAD OF THE QUICKER ROUTE BY WHICH WE CAME IN HERE?
DIDN'T YOU SAY THAT THERE WAS A PATH THAT ONLY F.U.G. KNOWS ABOUT?
SHHHH-
AH, WELL..

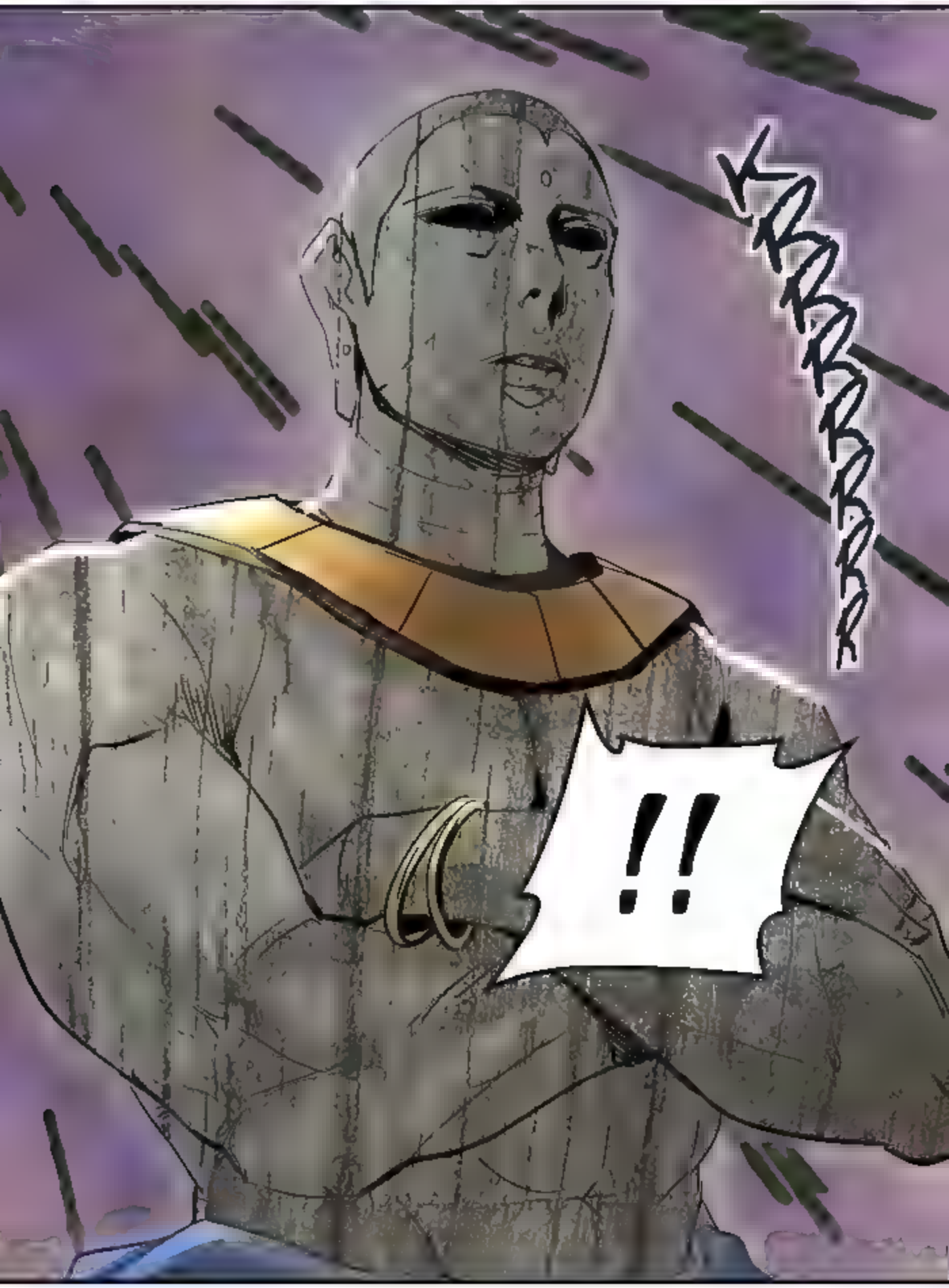
SHHHHH-
THAT'S BECAUSE THEY ALSO HAVE A GUIDE ON THEIR SIDE WHO KNOWS ABOUT THE SAME PATH.
SHE'LL DEFINITELY THINK THAT WE'RE GOING DOWN THAT PATH
SO EVEN THOUGH IT'S A BIT OUT OF OUR WAY, WE'RE USING THIS PATH TO ESCAPE.


HMM- SO YOU'RE THE CAUTIOUS TYPE.
YOU'RE A BIT DIFFERENT FROM THE OTHER SLAYERS.
GRIN

I FEEL LIKE I'LL BE ABLE TO MAINTAIN A GOOD RELATIONSHIP WITH YOU.
THANK YOU, WHITE.
YOOOO

SHHHHH

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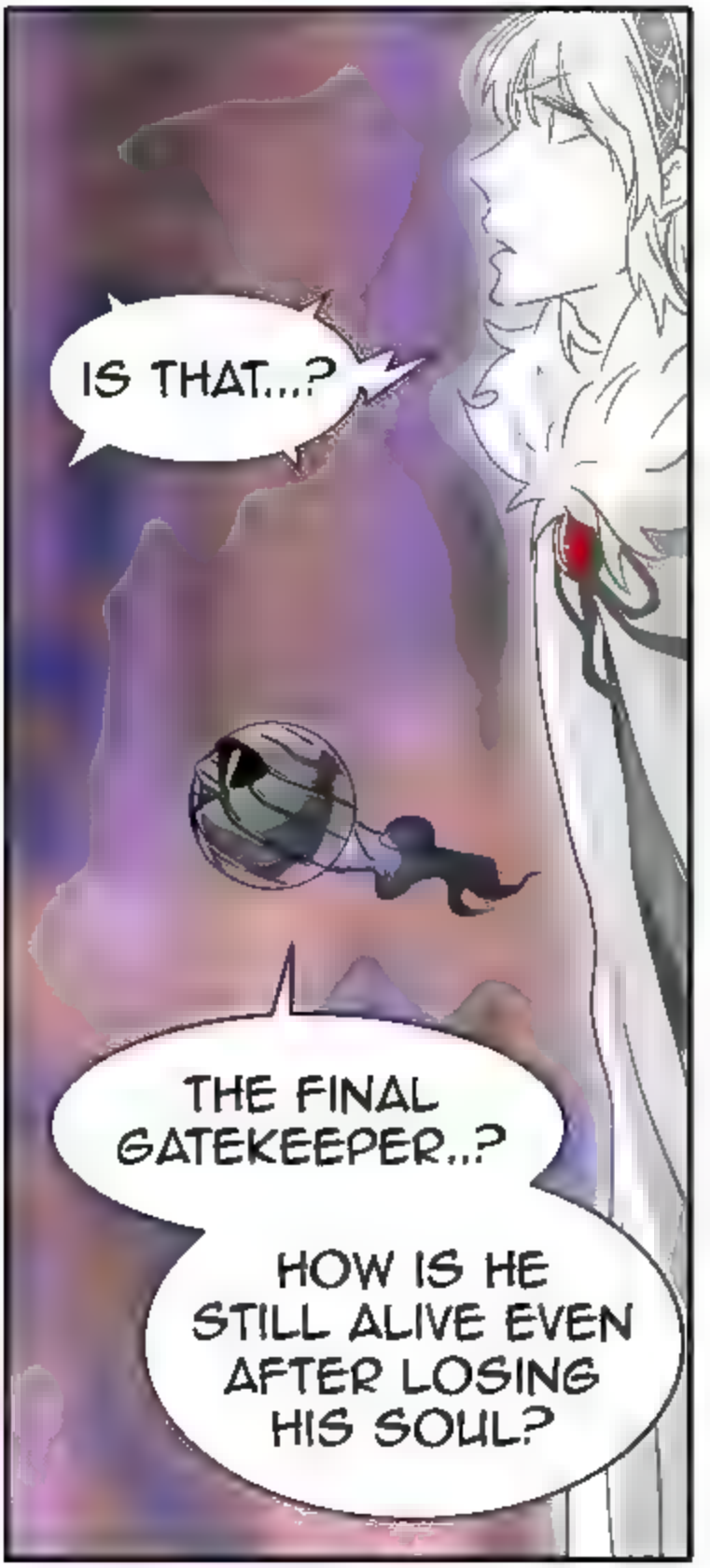
IS THAT...?
THE FINAL GATEKEEPER..?
HOW IS HE STILL ALIVE EVEN AFTER LOSING HIS SOUL?

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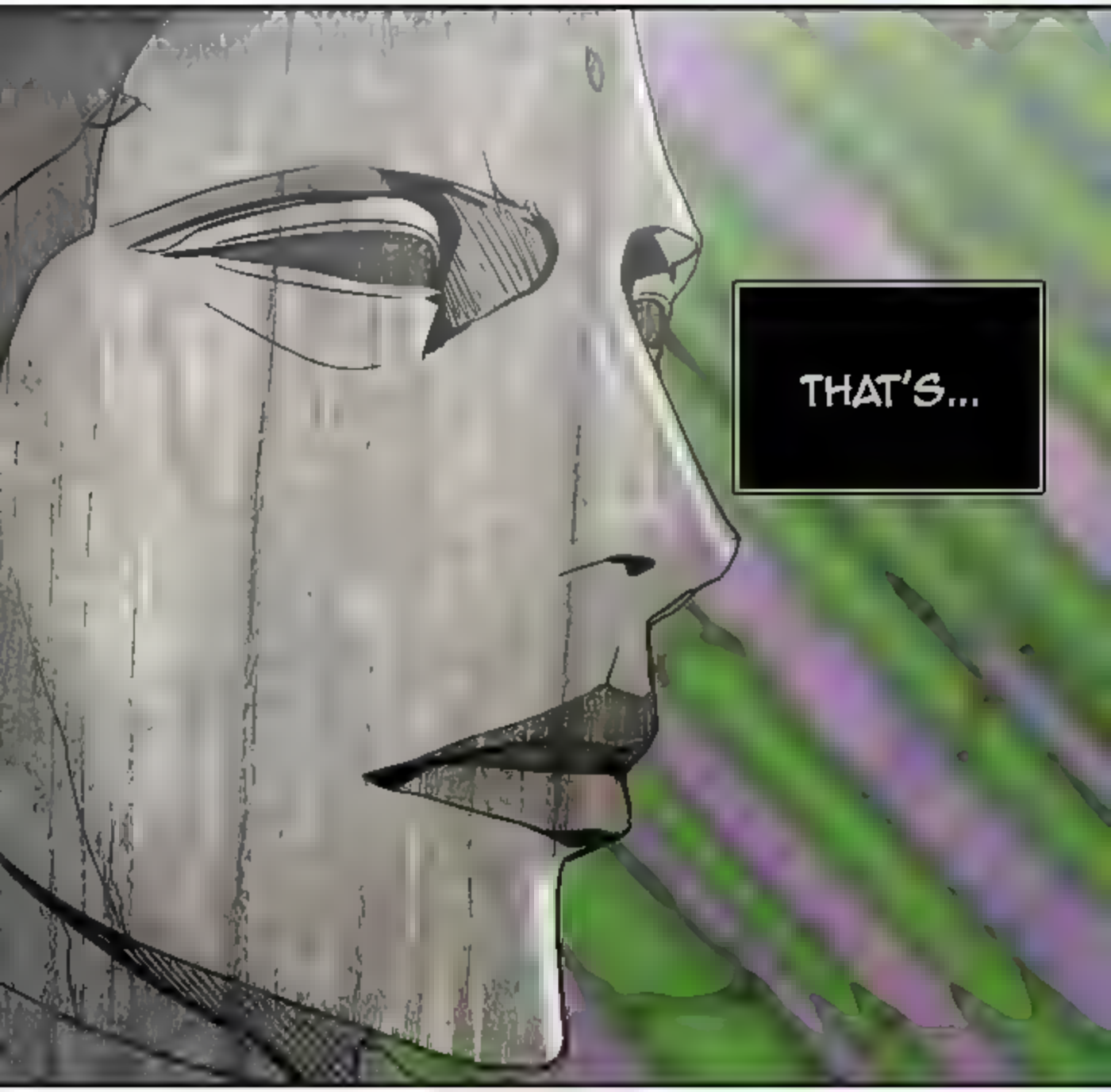
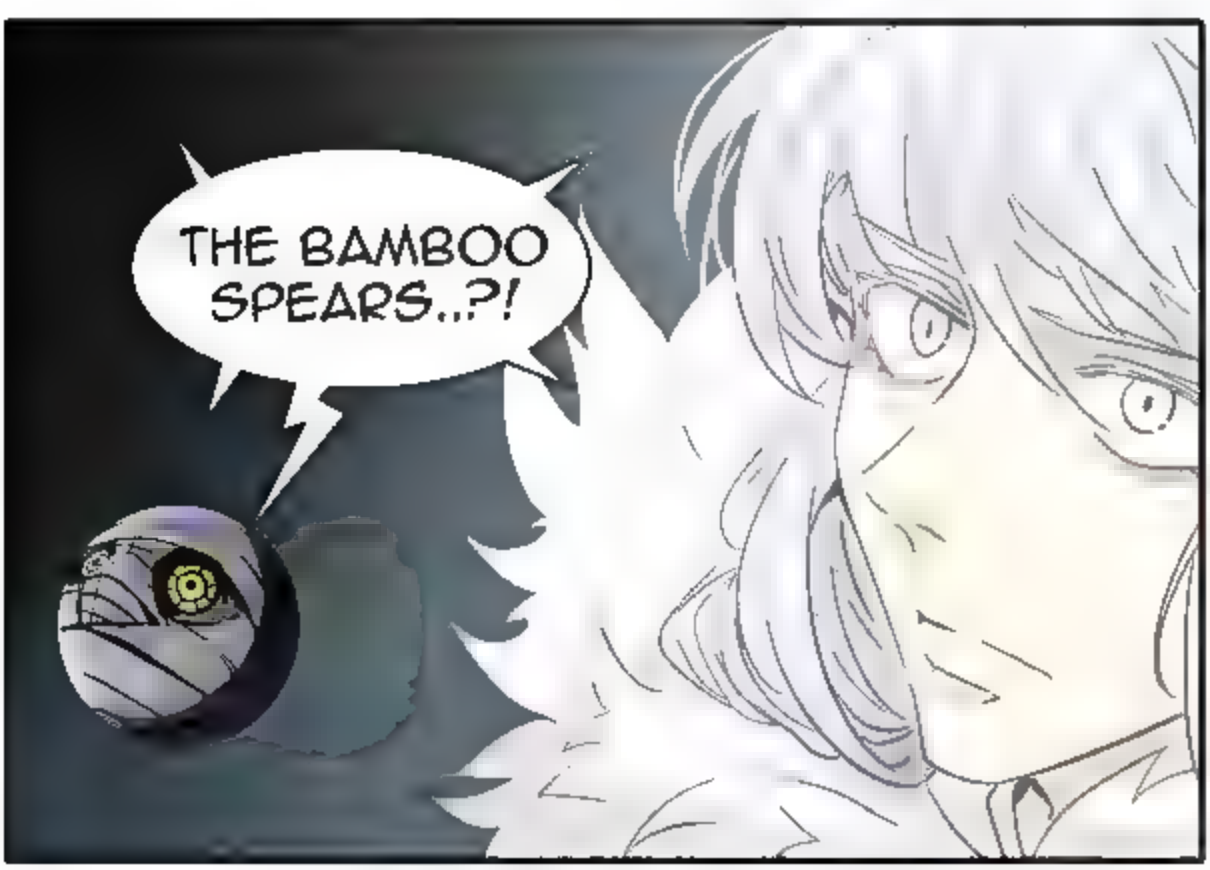
.....?


THAT'S...

IT LOOKS LIKE HE'S DEAD.
HM.. DO YOU THINK SO?
CREAK-
CREAK-
CREEAAK-

CREAK—
CREAK—
CREAK—
CREAK—
CREAK—
CREAK—
.....?


THE BAMBOO SPEARS..?!

SHREEK
WHISH

!!
KSSSSSHH

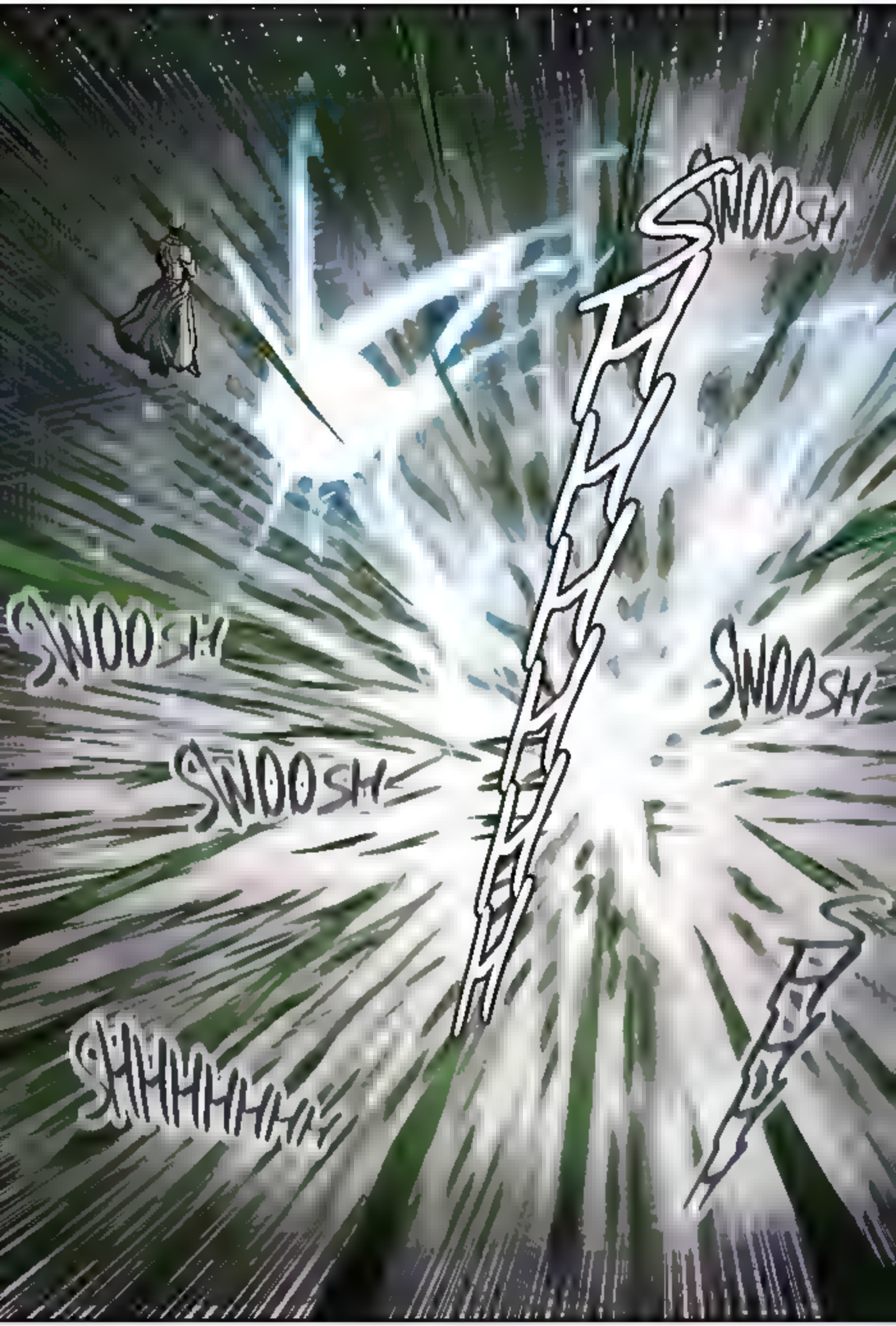
KRRRRRRRR
HMM..

..HE APPEARS TO BE A PUPPET DESIGNED
KRRRRRRR
TO DESTROY ANYONE WHO PASSES, EVEN IF HIS LIFE STOPS.

WITH THAT LEVEL OF TECHNICAL EXPERTISE..
..WHOEVER MADE THAT THING HAS SOME SERIOUS SKILLS.
..HM..
IT APPEARS THAT WAY..

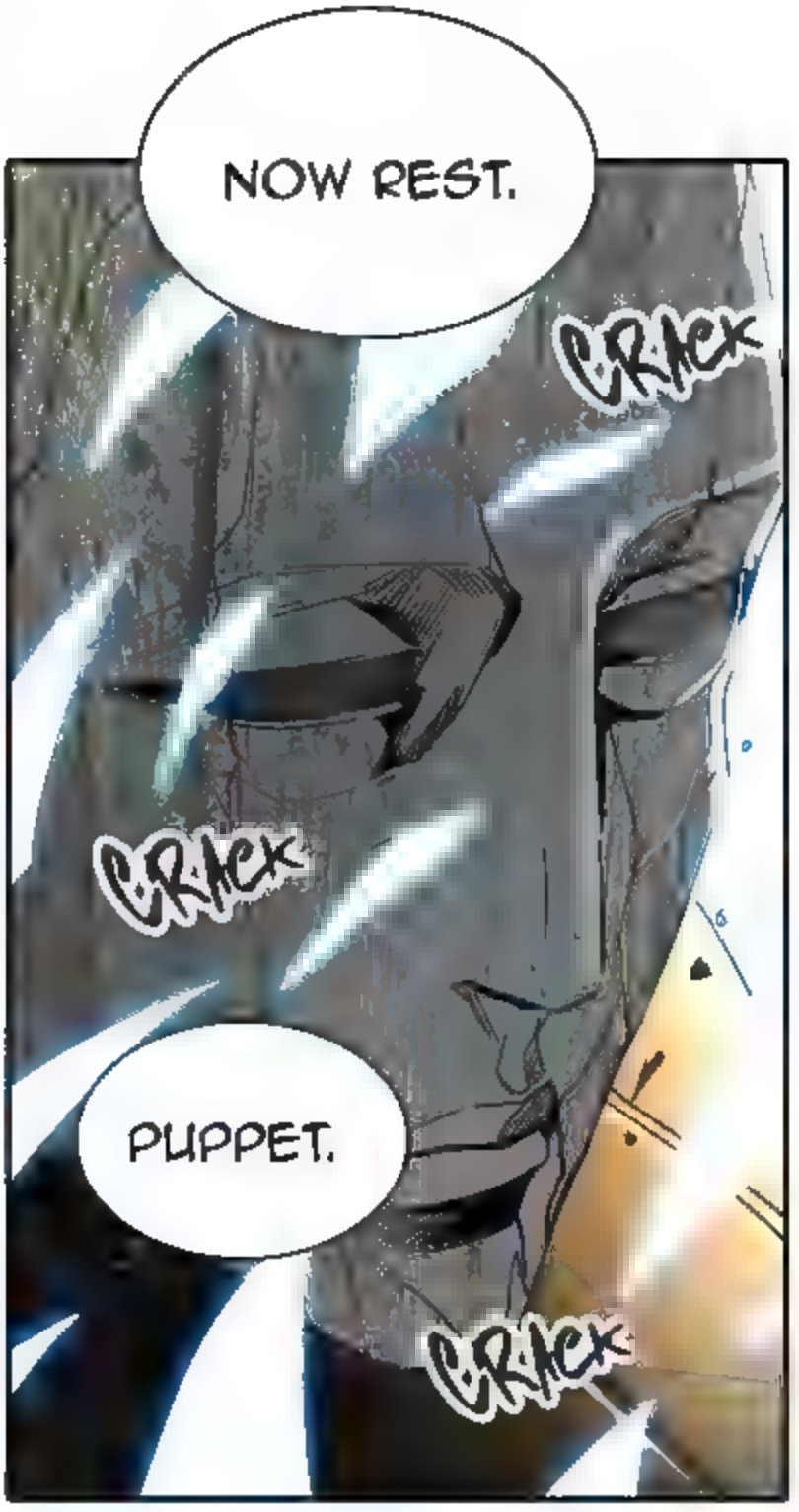
WHISH-
BUT I DON'T THINK WE HAVE TIME RIGHT NOW TO FIGURE OUT HIS IDENTITY..!!
LET'S GO..!!
RIGHT..!

WHOOSH
SWISH
SWOOSH
SWOOSH


SWOOSH
SWOOSH
SWOOSH
SWOOSH
SHHHHHHH

FLASH-

YOU DID WELL.


NOW REST.
CRACK
CRACK
PUPPET.
CRACK

KSSH

KRRRRRR

SHHHH-

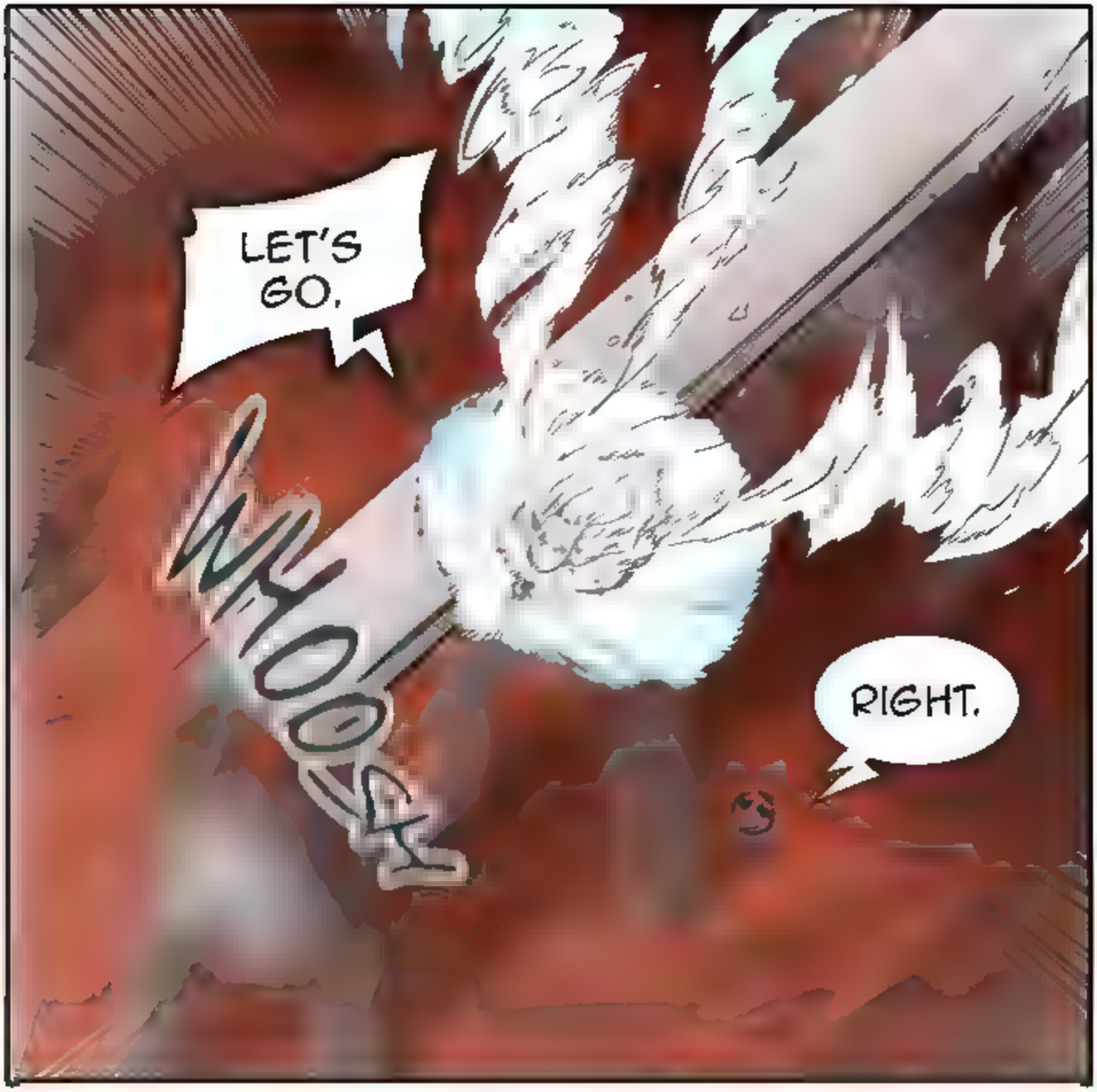
CREAK

CAN WE ESCAPE TO THE OUTSIDE IF WE PASS THROUGH THAT HOLE?
YES.

SSK-
WHITE?

I STILL HAVE THEM ON MY MIND..
THE ONES THAT I LEFT BACK THERE.
ESPECIALLY THAT GIRL..

BUT WELL,
I DON'T NEED
THEM NOW.


LET'S GO.
WHOOSH
RIGHT.

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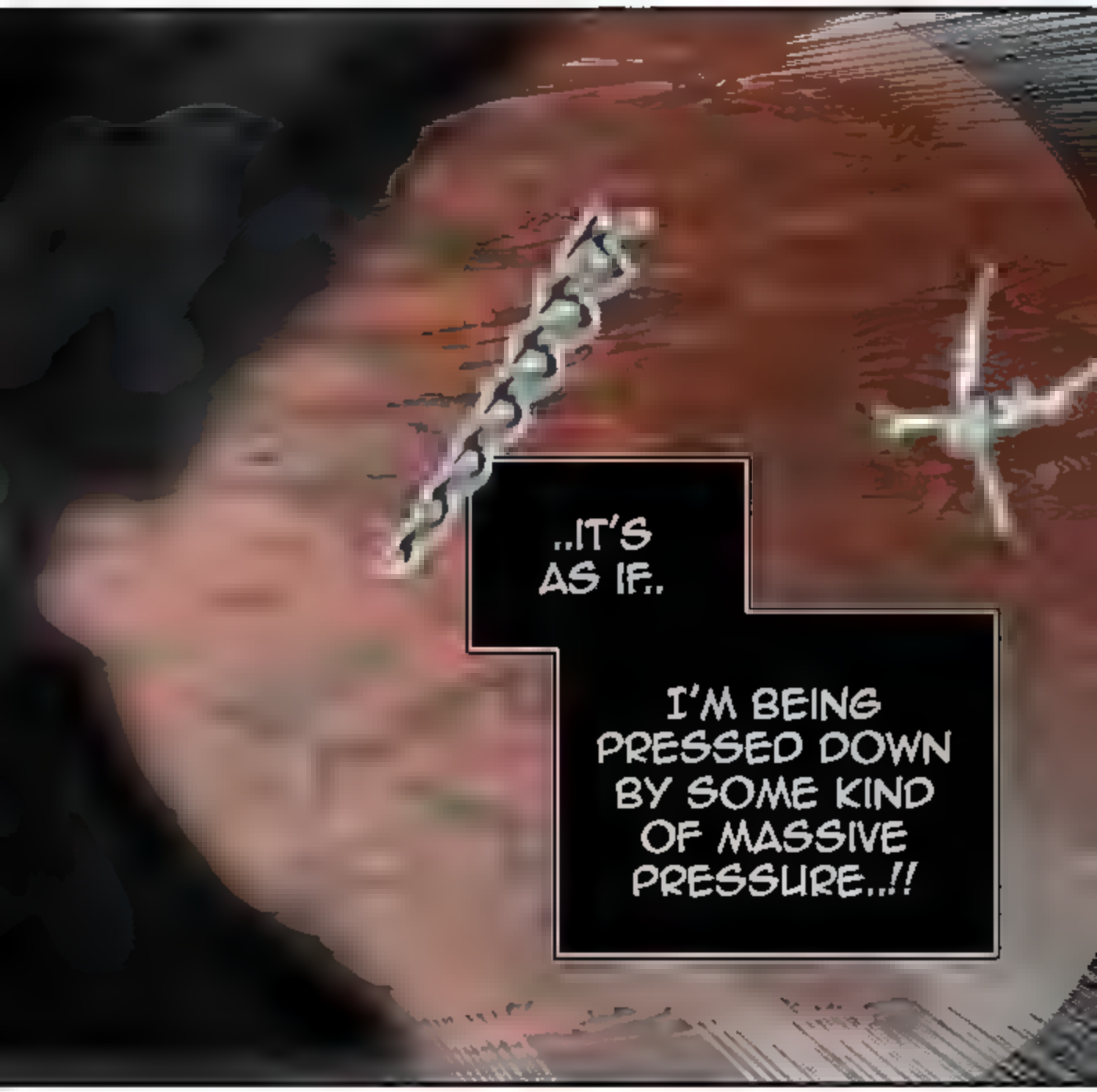
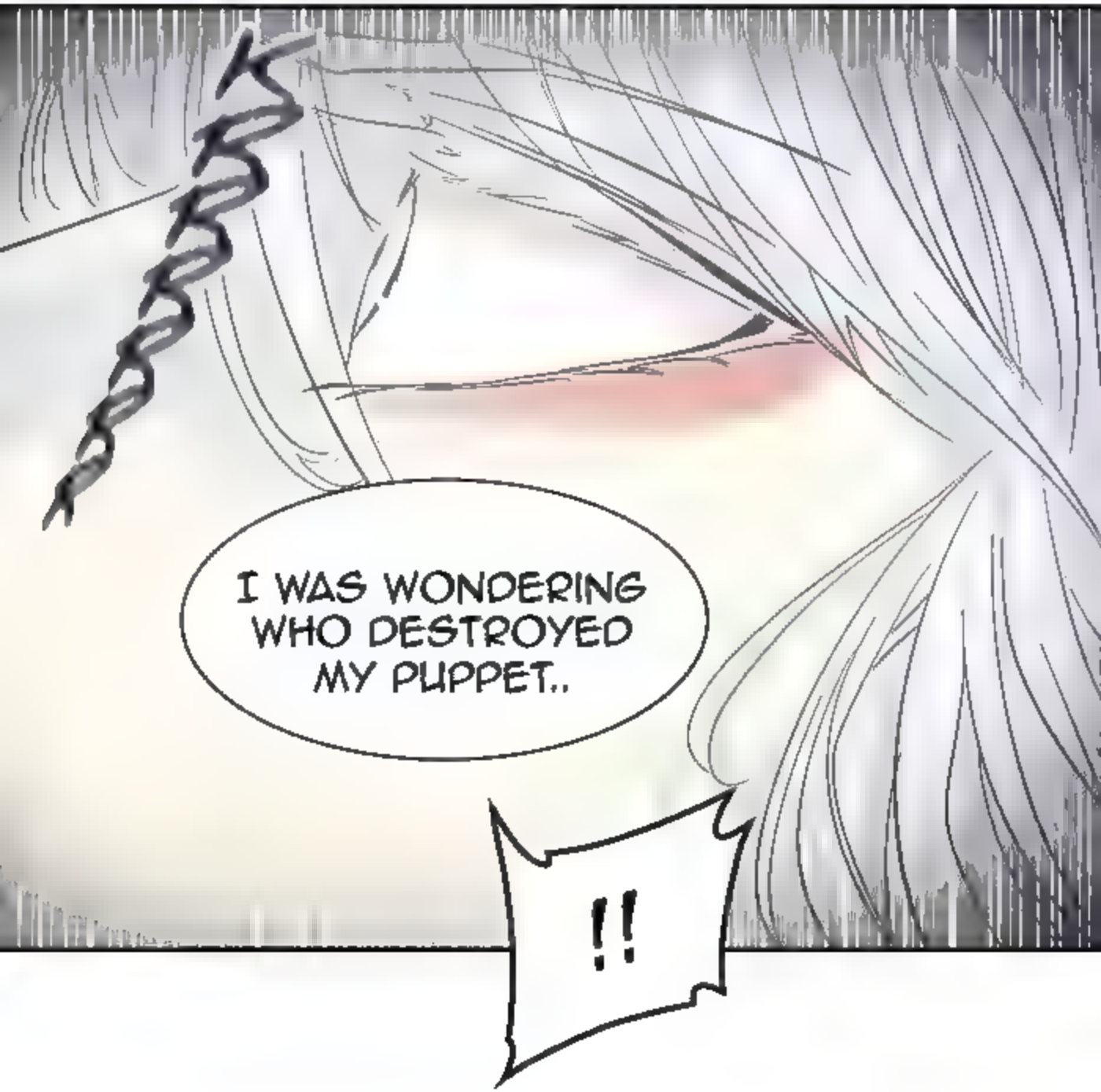
!?
SH

...?!
KRRRRRK
WHITE!?

WHAT'S GOING ON?!
KRRRRRR
KRRRRRR
I CAN'T MOVE MY BODY..?


..IT'S AS IF..
I'M BEING PRESSED DOWN BY SOME KIND OF MASSIVE PRESSURE..!!


I WAS WONDERING WHO DESTROYED MY PUPPET..
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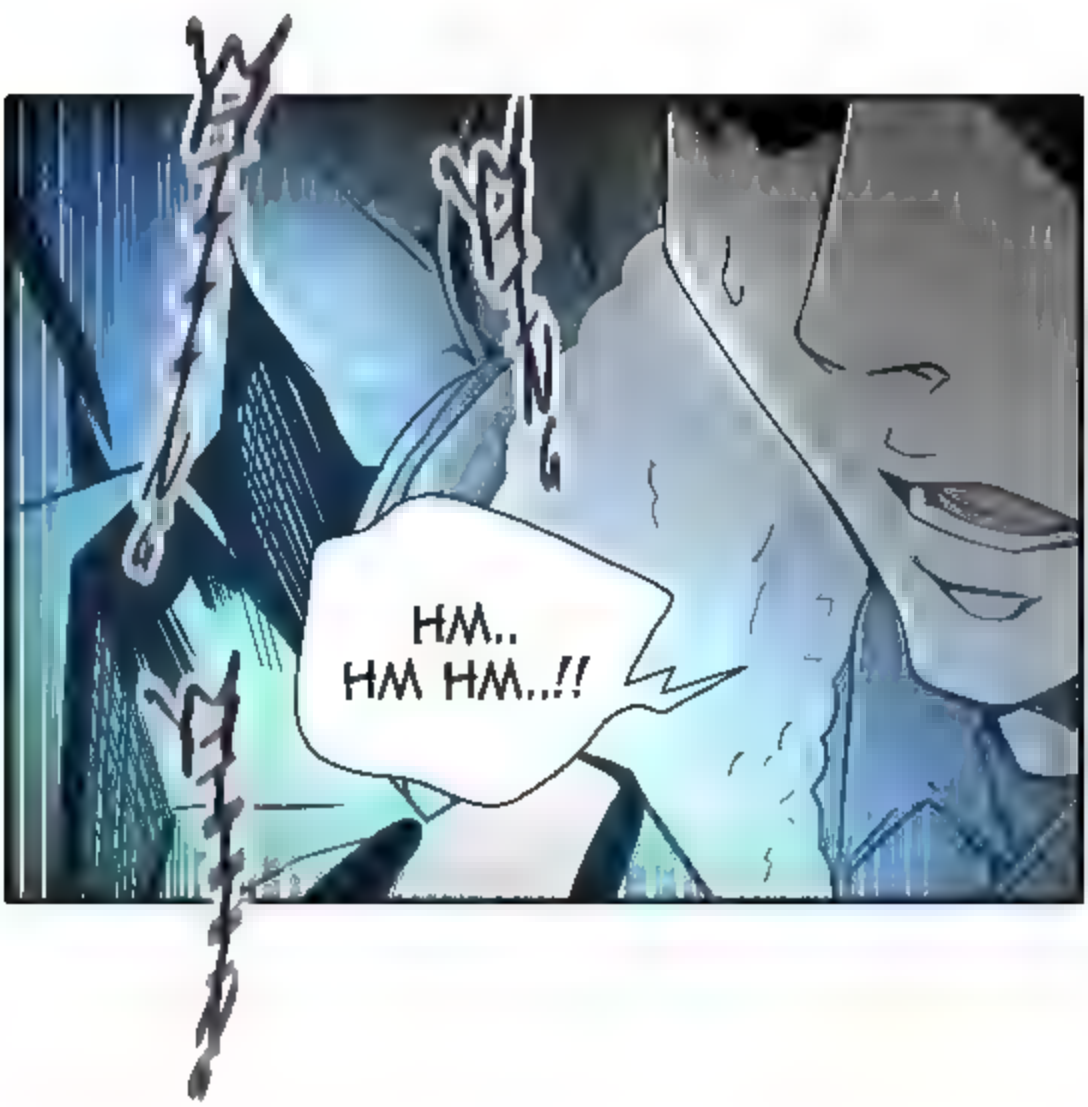
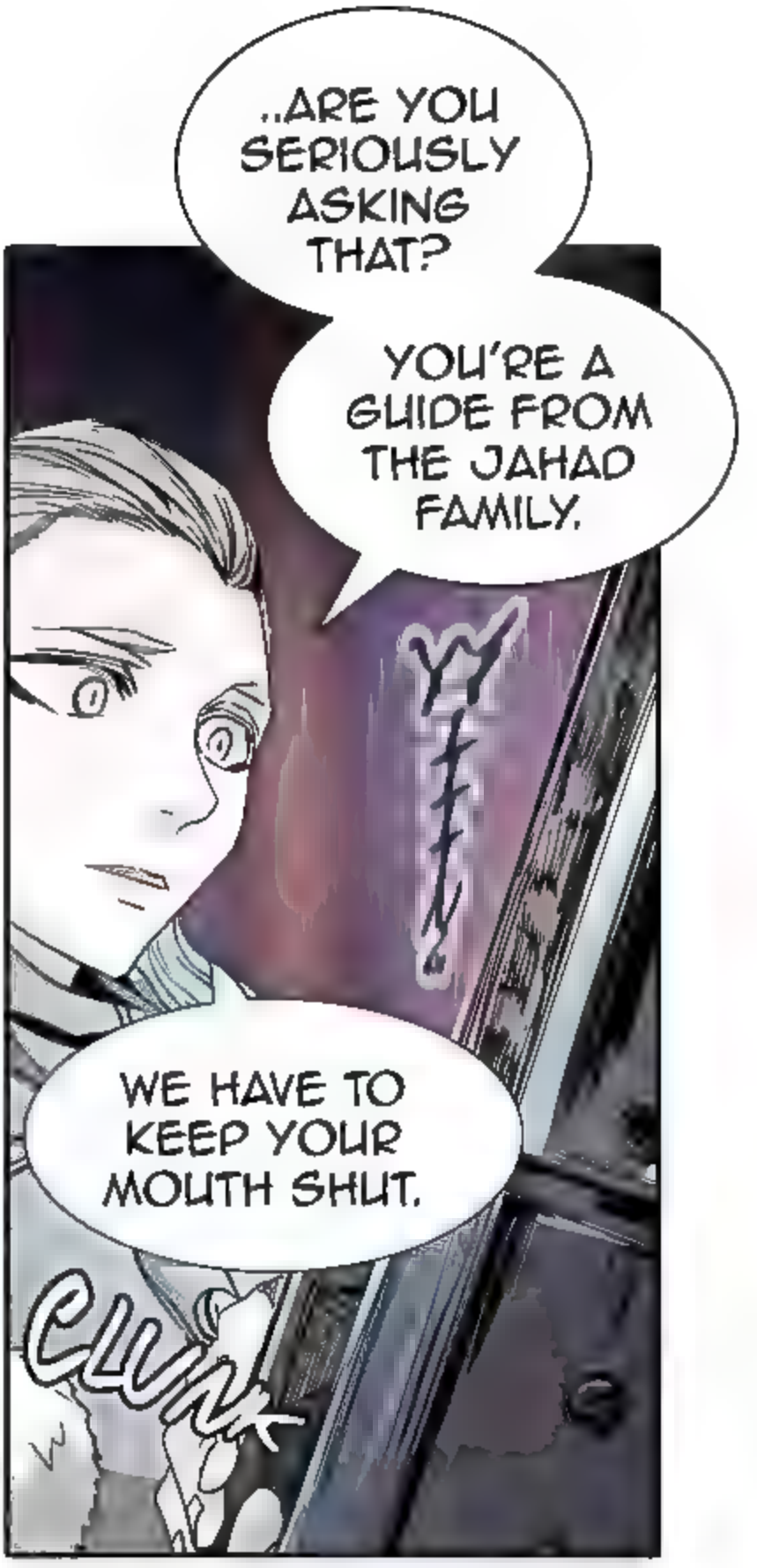
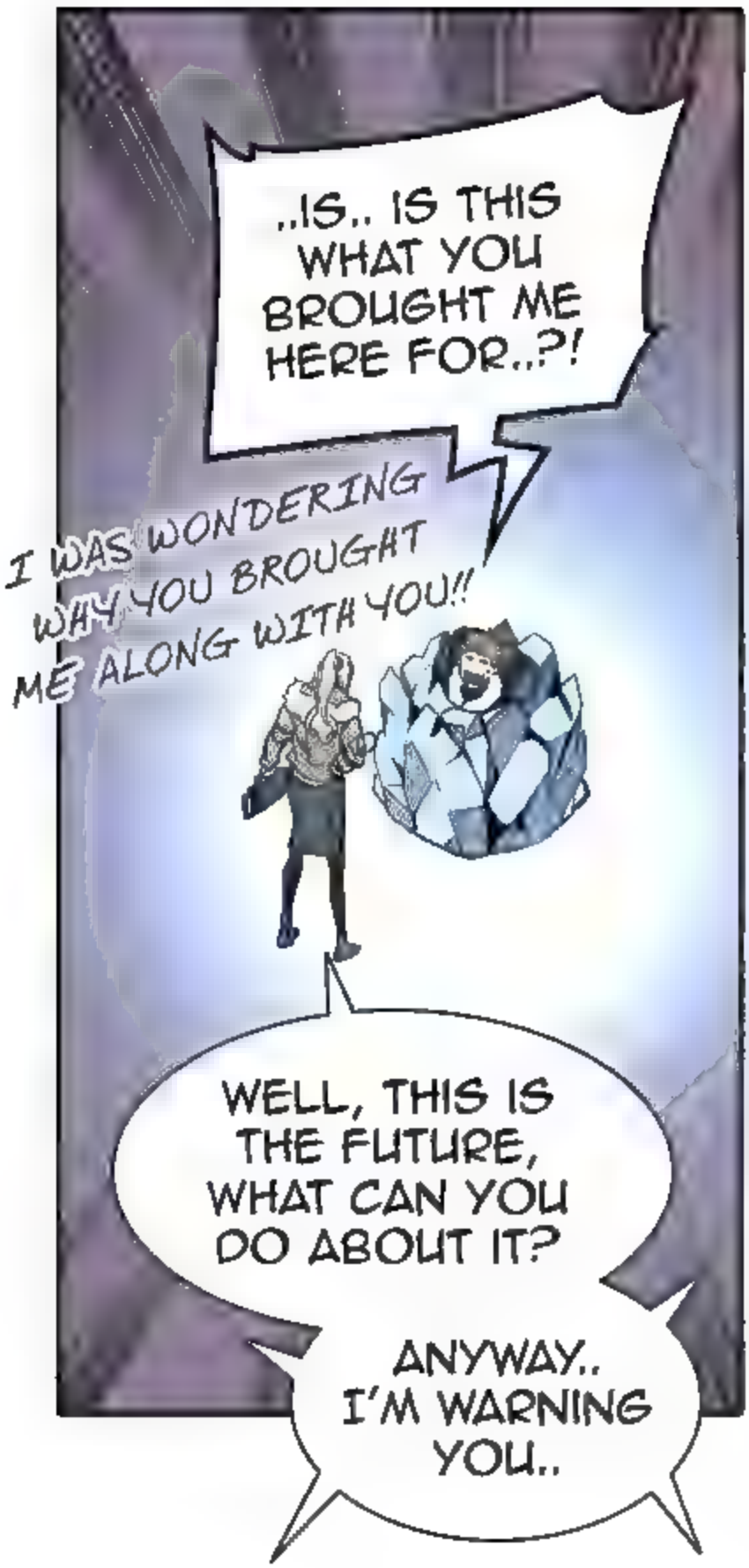
SPRRRR
IT LOOKS LIKE A VERY PRETTY BUG HAS WANDERED IN HERE.
RRRRRRRRR
THIS FEELING..!!

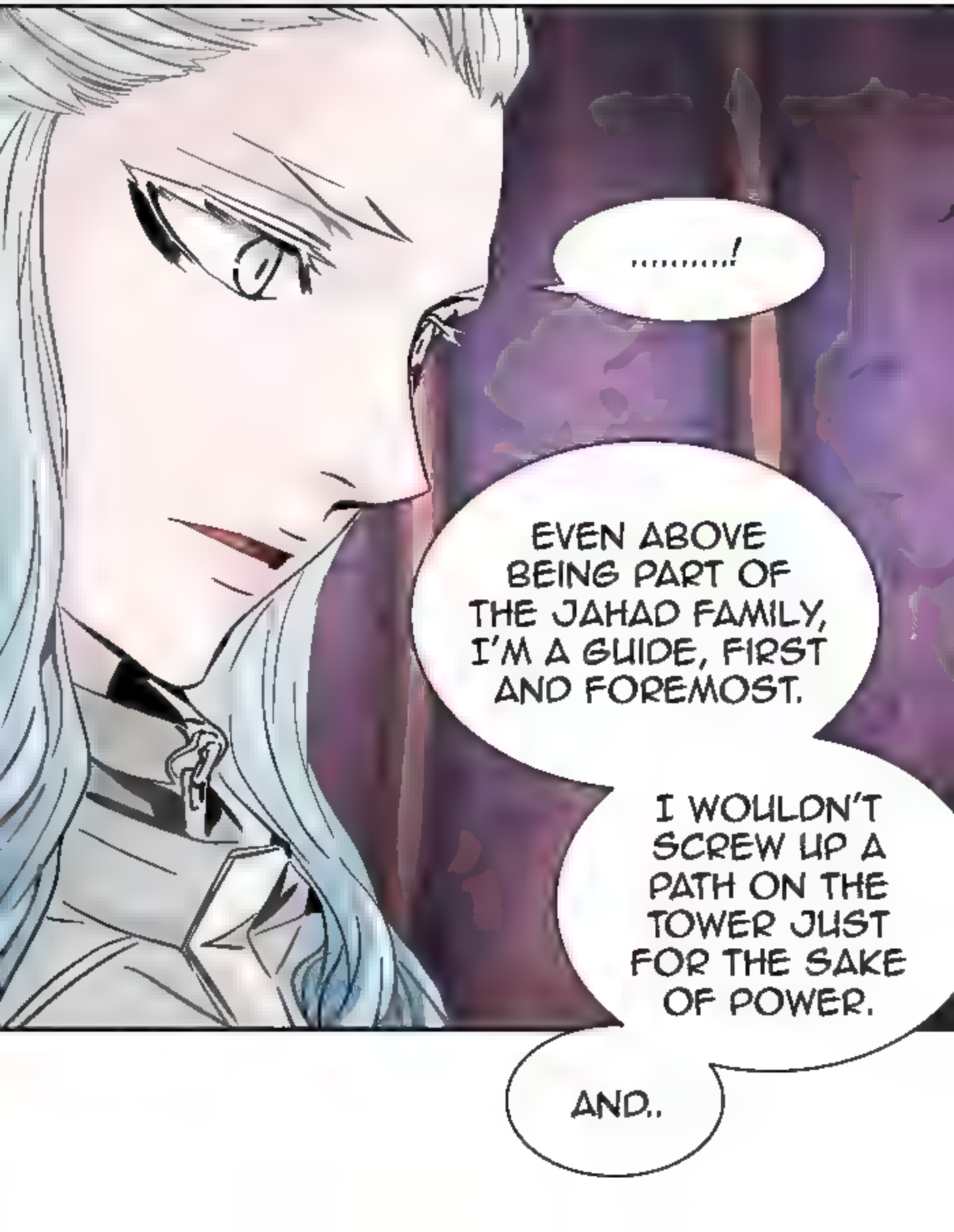

HM..
HM HM..!!

CLANKING
..I THOUGHT EVERYTHING WAS GOING WELL AFTER WE GOT RID OF JOE.
CLING
FROZEN
..WHAT'S GOING ON?
FROZEN


..ARE YOU SERIOUSLY ASKING THAT?
YOU'RE A GUIDE FROM THE JAHAD FAMILY.
WE HAVE TO KEEP YOUR MOUTH SHUT.
CLUNK

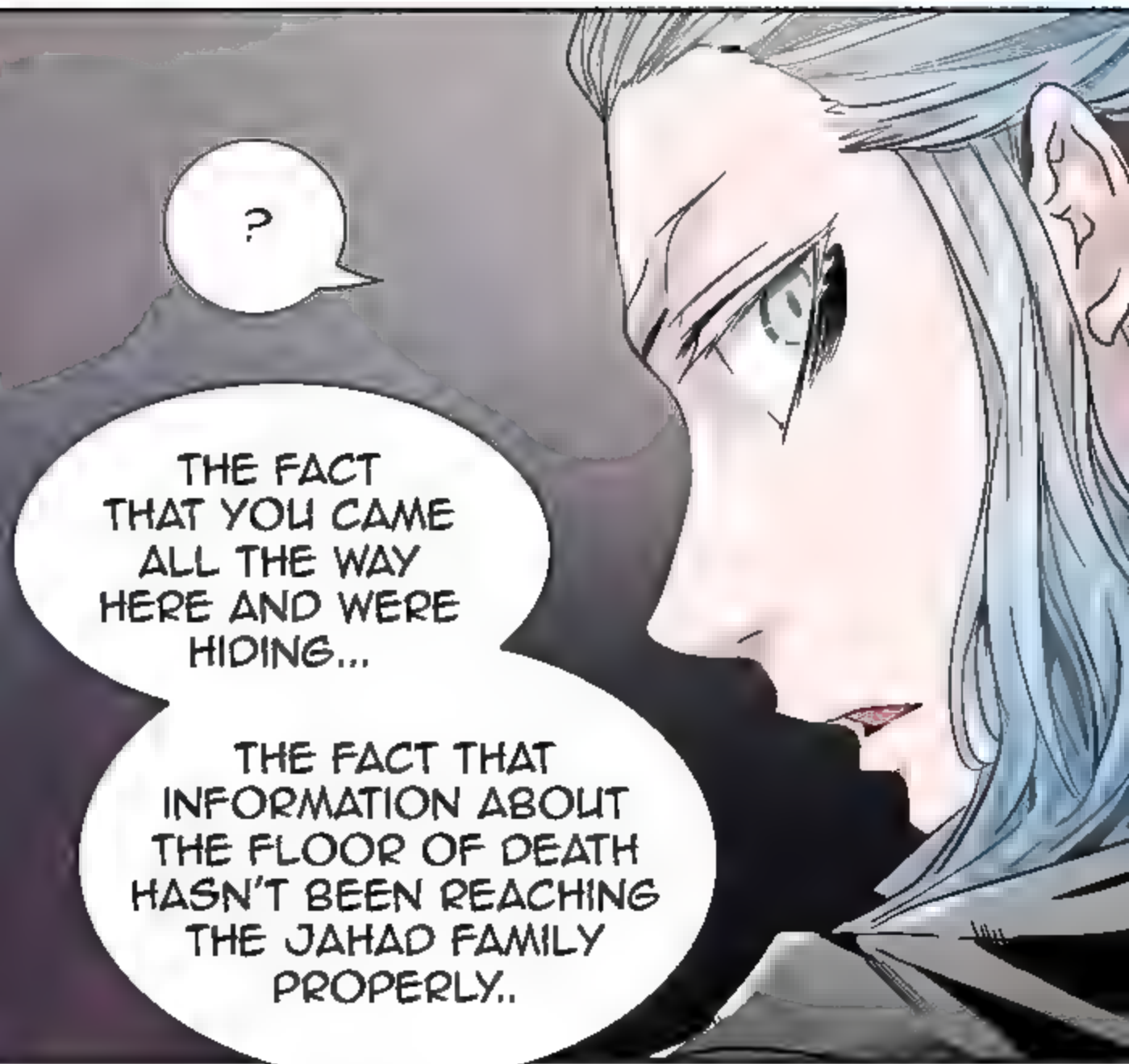

..IS.. IS THIS WHAT YOU BROUGHT ME HERE FOR..?!
I WAS WONDERING WHY YOU BROUGHT ME ALONG WITH YOU!!
WELL, THIS IS THE FUTURE, WHAT CAN YOU DO ABOUT IT?
ANYWAY.. I'M WARNING YOU..

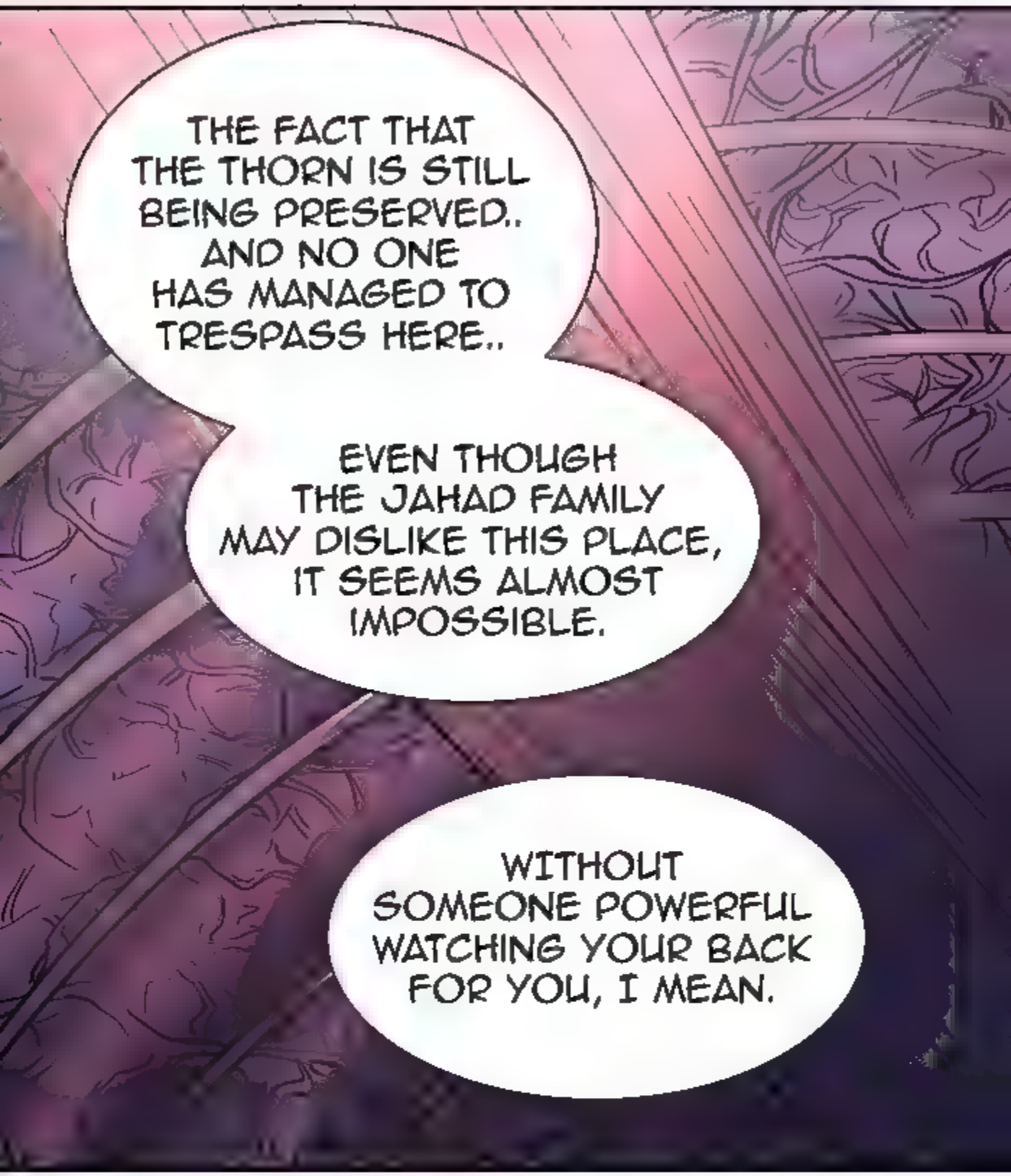
IF JAHAD FINDS OUT THAT I'M HERE..!!
I WON'T TELL THEM, I WON'T.
HAHA-


.....!
EVEN ABOVE BEING PART OF THE JAHAD FAMILY, I'M A GUIDE, FIRST AND FOREMOST.
I WOULDN'T SCREW UP A PATH ON THE TOWER JUST FOR THE SAKE OF POWER.
AND..

UREK MAJINO IS LIKE A SAVIOR TO YOU, PRINCESS.
I DON'T HAVE ANY INTENTION OF STIRRING UP ANY CONFLICT WITH HIM, AT LEAST.

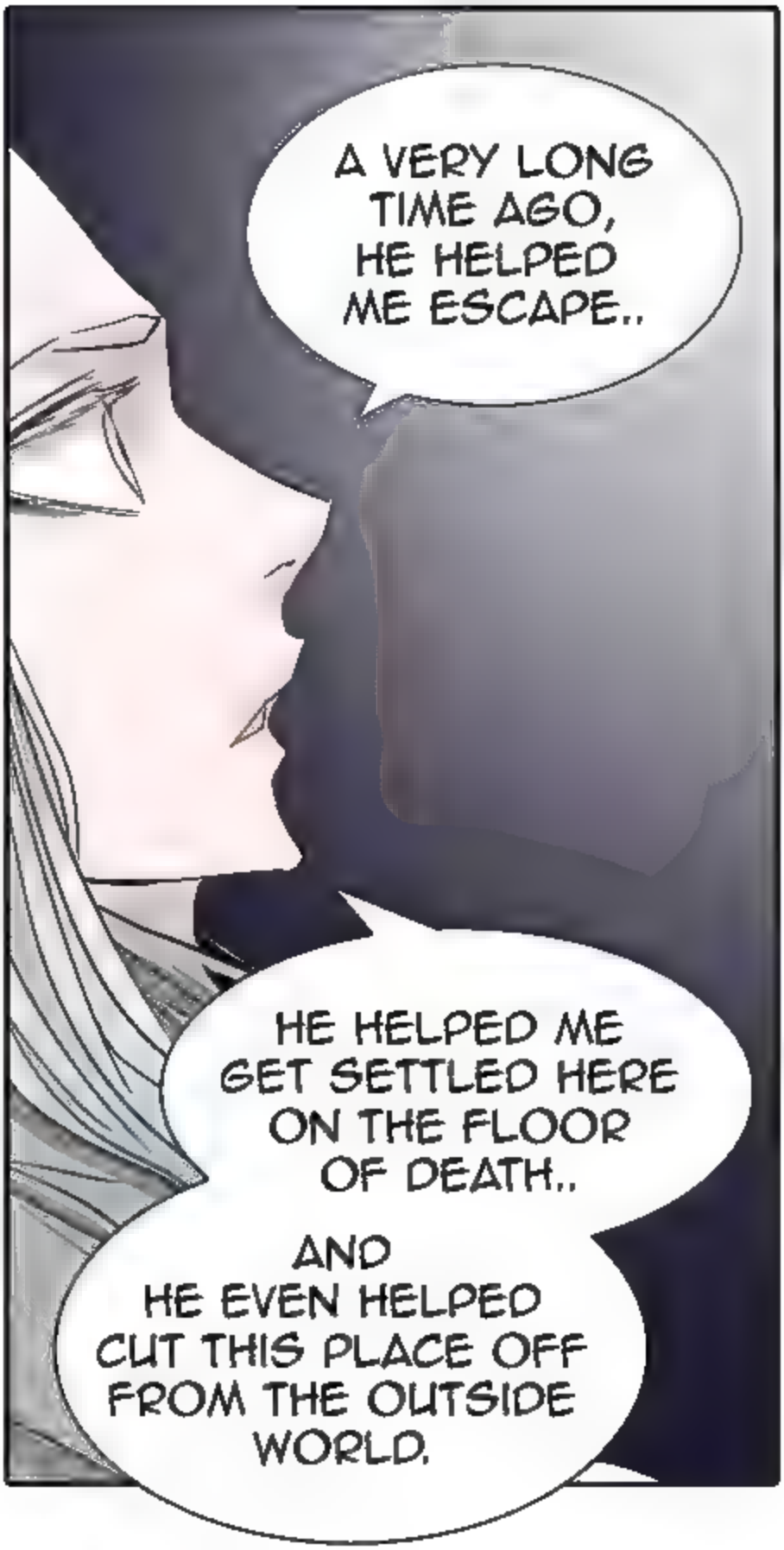
....WELL, THEN THAT'S THAT. LET HIM GO.
TAP~
BUT.. I HAVE ONE QUESTION.


?
THE FACT THAT YOU CAME ALL THE WAY HERE AND WERE HIDING...
THE FACT THAT INFORMATION ABOUT THE FLOOR OF DEATH HASN'T BEEN REACHING THE JAHAD FAMILY PROPERLY..


THE FACT THAT THE THORN IS STILL BEING PRESERVED.. AND NO ONE HAS MANAGED TO TRESPASS HERE..
EVEN THOUGH THE JAHAD FAMILY MAY DISLIKE THIS PLACE, IT SEEMS ALMOST IMPOSSIBLE.
WITHOUT SOMEONE POWERFUL WATCHING YOUR BACK FOR YOU, I MEAN.

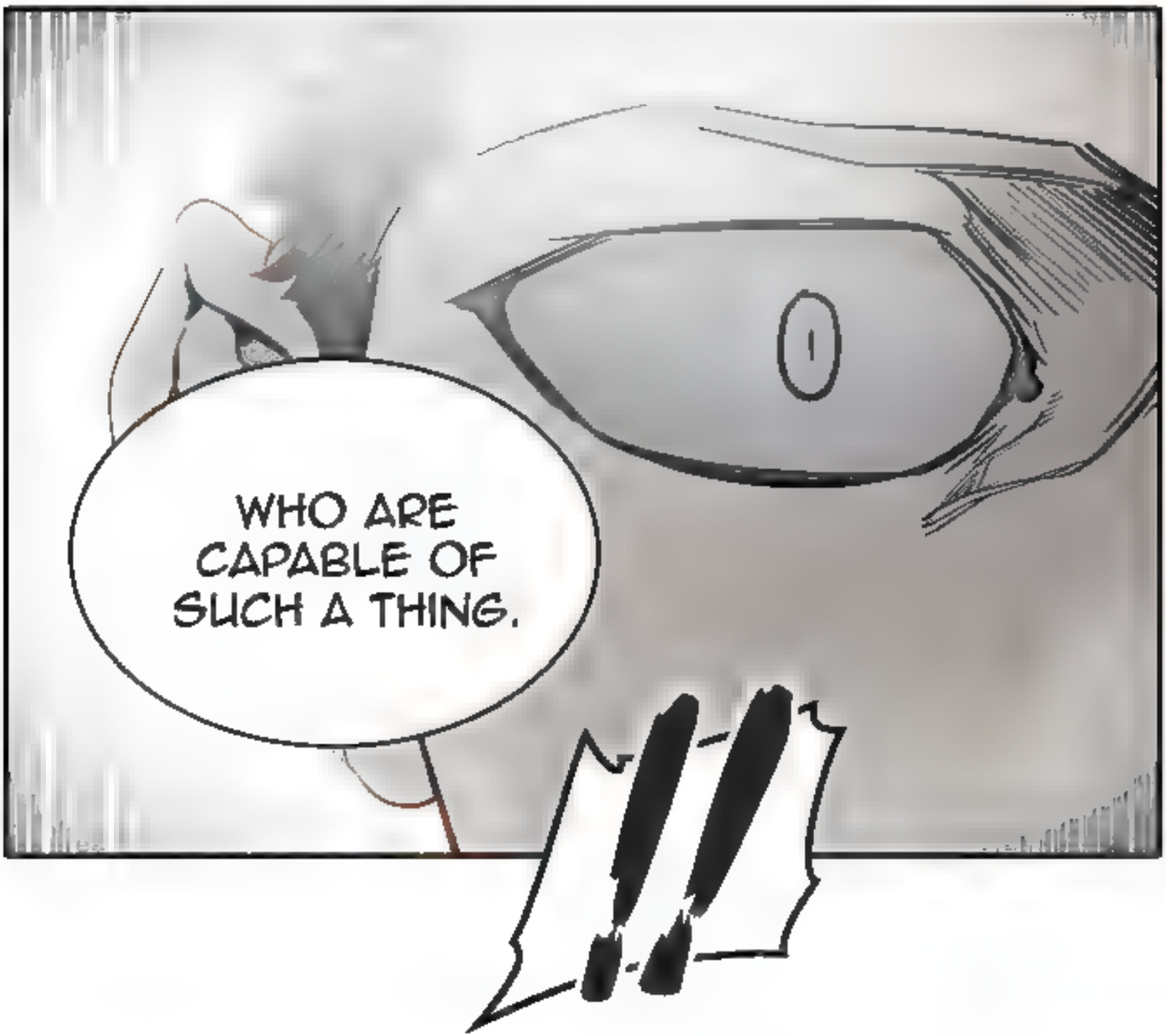
THERE'S SOMEONE HELPING YOU, RIGHT?
SOMEONE VERY POWERFUL, AT THAT.

.....THAT'S RIGHT.


A VERY LONG TIME AGO, HE HELPED ME ESCAPE..
HE HELPED ME GET SETTLED HERE ON THE FLOOR OF DEATH..
AND HE EVEN HELPED CUT THIS PLACE OFF FROM THE OUTSIDE WORLD.

I'M NOT EXACTLY SURE WHY HE HELPED ME..
BUT ANYWAY, I SUGGEST YOU DON'T TRY TO FIND OUT MORE ABOUT IT.

YOU KNOW TOO, DON'T YOU?
?
ON THIS TOWER, THERE ARE ONLY TEN PEOPLE-


WHO ARE CAPABLE OF SUCH A THING.

..YOU
MEAN...!!

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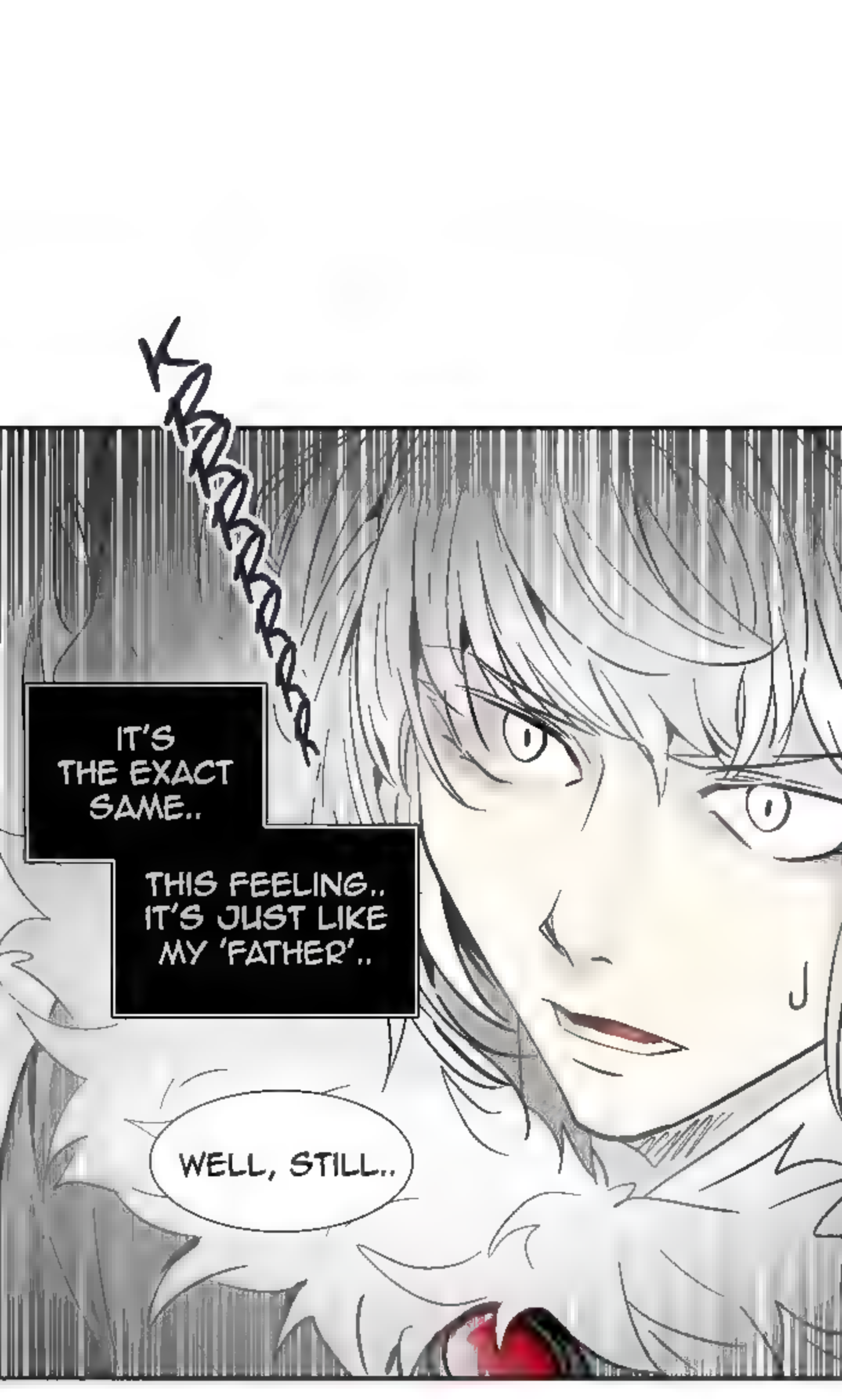
KRRRRRR
IT'S THE EXACT SAME..
THIS FEELING.. IT'S JUST LIKE MY 'FATHER'..
WELL, STILL..

A BUG IS
A BUG.

HE'S ONE OF
THE TEN
GREAT FAMILY
LEADERS...!!